We cannot afford to dislike too many people at one time. It reflects on our own amiability.
—MAUD WILDER GOODWIN.

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FOUR ARE KILLED; 25 HURT IN WRECK ON PENNSYLVANIA

Limited Express Train, East Bound, Goes Into Ditch at Warrior's Ridge, Pa., With Frightful Results.

TWO TICKETS SOLD HERE FOR TRAIN IN WRECK.

The Pennsylvania limited wrecked at Warrior's Ridge, passed through Fort Wayne at 9:10 o'clock last night. It took on two passengers here, Rev. and Mrs. M. H. Poole, of Hillsdale, Mich., who were going to Washington, D. C. Usually this train carries from two to six passengers out of Fort Wayne, but none other than Rev. and Mrs. Poole applied for tickets last night. So far as could be learned they are not known in Fort Wayne.

Altoona, Pa., Feb. 15.—Four passengers were killed and twenty-five others injured shortly before noon today when the Pennsylvania limited express which left Chicago at 5:30 p. m. yesterday and was due in New York at 5:30 p. m. today, was wrecked at Warriors Ridge, Pa., thirty miles east of here.

Two of the Dead.

The dead in the wreck at the morgue at Huntington are:

HARRY A. MASS, Indianapolis.

MRS. J. E. CAVANAUGH, Cordova, Illinois.

Colored maid, name not known.

One body is supposed to be under the wreck.

The injured persons were taken to the hospital at Huntington.

Two of the four passengers killed were women.

The derailment of the cars broke the telegraph wires and communication with Warriors' Ridge is greatly hampered.

The Huntington hospital this afternoon sent a request to Altoona and Harrisburg for twelve or more nurses to attend the injured.

The train left here for the east at 11:12 this morning, one hour and seven minutes late. It consisted of a postal car and ten steel passenger cars, hauled by two locomotives. The train arrived here from Pittsburg with ninety-seven passengers and seven persons boarded the train at Altoona.

While passing Warriors Ridge station the two locomotives and postal car broke away from the rest of the train and ran ahead a quarter of a mile. The remainder of the train upset or fell over, all the cars falling on their sides except the combination car next to the postal, which was only partially overturned.

Supt. C. A. Preston, of the middle division and a party of officials who happened to be on official business down the road, were on the scene a few minutes after the accident and took immediate charge of the situation. The relief train with doctors aboard, was dispatched from this city, and twelve doctors were taken on at Tyrone. It is supposed the accident was caused by a broken truck under the combination car, but this has not yet been determined.

The names of the killed and injured has not yet been learned.

Some Injured May Die.

The eastbound express train which followed the limited was held at Warriors Ridge until add the injured were taken from the broken cars. The injured were taken off at Huntingdon and the uninjured continued to their destination.

There are now thirty-two passengers in the Huntingdon hospital. The railroad officers here have not yet received the names of any of the killed or injured, though it is now given out that only one man and two women were killed outright. Some of the injured may die.

IN HOSPITAL AT HUNTINGDON.

Ambulances Overtaxed; Street Cars Used to Haul Injured.

Huntingdon, Pa., Feb. 15.—All the injured brought east were taken to the J. C. Blair Memorial hospital where they are being attended by physicians from this place, Tyrone, Altoona and other towns. In the rush to care for the injured no time was taken to get names.

The first news of the accident was learned here when appeals for help came from Warriors Ridge. Immediately hospital ambulances, all available ambulances and other vehicles were pressed into service and waited at the station for the relief train to arrive. When it came in it was found that there was not sufficient conveyances to take care of the needs, and street cars were used to transport some to the hospitals. It is said there were twenty-two persons in the first car and that ten of them were killed.

One or two cars went over the embankment into the Junita river. The only car not badly damaged was the observation car which was at the rear of the train.

ENGINE CRASHES INTO BANK.

Five Killed in Utah When Locomotive Rolls Down Hill.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Feb. 15.—Five men were killed and three slightly hurt when a locomotive jumped the track, rolled 75 feet down a hill and crashed

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SON GUILTY OF FATHER'S DEATH

But Jury at Petersburg Reduces Charge to Manslaughter.

THE INDIANA NEWS

Petersburg, Ind., Feb. 15.—Ford Grubb, tried here for the killing of his father, was found guilty late last night, the jury reducing the charge from murder to manslaughter. The young man's mother, who is charged with connection with the death of her husband, will be called to trial later this term.

WANDREI'S AIM WAS BAD.

Threw Shoe at Howling Dog, But Hit a Burglar.

Logansport, Ind. Feb. 15.—Throwing an old shoe at a howling dog August Wandrei knocked over a burglar early today. Wandrei was aroused from slumber by the dog, opened his window and hurled the shoe, which struck the burglar. The intruder slipped and fell headlong into a snow drift but quickly was up and running. He had pried open the side door of Wandrei's house before the dog frightened him off.

INJURIES PROVE FATAL.

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 15.—William Shaw died in the hospital today from injuries received last night when an automobile in which he and other political workers were hurrying to a primary election voting place, struck an interurban car. John Buddleis is in the hospital but probably will recover.

LEAPED FROM THE CAB.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 15.—With a

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DEFENSE DROPS A HINT AT SUICIDE

It Will Be Theory in the Dillon Murder Case at Lagrange.

TRIAL UNDER WAY

(Special to The Sentinel.)

Lagrange, Ind., Feb. 15.—For the first time, in his opening statement today at the trial of George W. Dillon, the aged farmer accused of having caused the death of his wife, Mrs. Hattie Dillon, by the administration of strychnine, Judge R. K. Erwin, of counsel for defense, indicated that the theory of suicide will be advanced in the effort to show Dillon guiltless of the accusation. Judge Erwin announced that the defense purposed showing by a reputable druggist the purchase of strychnine by Mrs. Dillon.

Shortly after Judge Drake assumed the bench this morning Attorney L. B. Ewbank, of Indianapolis, made the opening statement for the prosecution, reviewing the case for more than an hour. He declared the state would attempt to show that Mrs. Dillion died after swallowing what was presumed to be a capsule of quinine taken from the hand of her husband, and that a subsequent anaylsis of the woman's stomach showed the presence of nearly a grain of strychnine. He dwelt upon the fact that the couple had frequent misunderstandings regarding property matters.

Dr. A. G. Grubb, of Mongo, the attending physician in the case, was the first witness called.

Jury is Secured.

The work of securing a jury acceptable to both state and defense occupied less than a day and at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon the panel in the box was accepted and sworn. The jurors are:

Cornelius Troyer, farmer, Clay township.

Bert Schermerhorn, farmer, Clay township.

M. C. Hilderbrand, farmer, Bloomfield township.

George S. Curtis, butcher, Shipshewana.

Charles S. Rhoderick, farmer, Eden township.

Delbert Stine, farmer, Lima township.

Melvin Yoder, farmer, Eden township.

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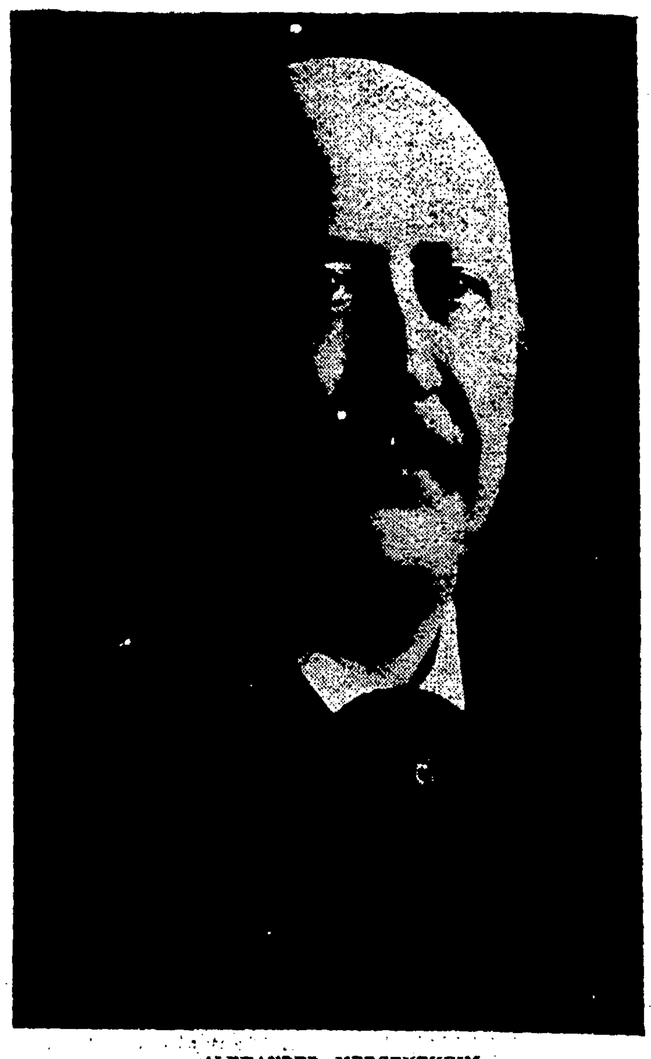
WELL KNOWN BUSINESS MAN DEAD.



ALEXANDER MERGENTHEIM.

THIEVES HOLD UP A TAXICAB AND GET AWAY WITH $25,000

Three Highwaymen Pull Off Daring Stunt in Very Heart of New York Financial District.

New York, Feb. 15.—Twenty-five thousand dollars in currency was stolen from a taxicab in the heart of the financial district this morning by three highwaymen who sprang into the vehicle and overpowered W. F. Smith and Frank Wardell, messengers of the East River National bank, 68 Broadway. Both messengers were badly injured and the robbers escaped with the money—$15,000 in five-dollar bills and $10,000 in one-hundred dollar bills. The currency was being transported from the Produce Exchange bank in the lower part of the city.

The taxicab had proceeded up Broadway without mishap when for some unexplained reason the chauffeur turned west on Rector street into Church street, skirting the side and rear of Trinity church yard. About midway of the old cemetery three men sprang from the curb. One jumped on the chauffeur's seat; the other two got into the vehicle. The man on the seat pressed a revolver in his overcoat pocket against the side of the chauffeur, Gino Martini, and commanded him to drive swiftly on without making an outcry.

Beat Up Messengers.

Inside the vehicle the two robbers were belaboring the bank messengers over the head. Smith, one of the messengers, is 16 years old and he was bleeding and almost unconscious when the taxicab reached Park place, a few blocks north. Wardell was badly beaten about the head.

At Park Place the highwaymen jumped from the taxicab, bearing a tin box which they had wrested from the messengers and which contained the currency. In a flash they had sprung into a big black automobile which seemed to be waiting their coming and were quickly lost in the maze of traffic. Martini, the taxicab chauffeur, continued to run his machine until he found a policeman. Here he gave the alarm and the two injured messengers were taken to a police station. Smith's condition was so serious that he was removed to a hospital. Wardell's scalp was badly lacerated, but because of his youth he stood the fight well.

Becoming Epidemic.

Holdups and money-snatching games have become almost epidemic in New York in the past few weeks. Preceding today's taxicab affair by scarcely an hour, two young men armed with revolvers attempted to rob the jewelry establishment of Barrett Nemets in Broome street. The jeweler showed fight, grappled with the intruders and when they fled fired several shots at them, which were returned. One of the men escaped, the other was captured. He gave the name of Max Silver, 17 years old. A revolver with five exploded cartridges in the cylinder was found in his pocket. Earlier in the day burglars almost wrecked a private bank in Elizabeth street on the east side in attempting to open the safe. They secured no booty.

WRECKED BY EXPLOSION.

Cudahy Plant Is Hit and $2,000 in Cash Burns Up.

Newcastle, Pa., Feb. 15.—The Cudahy Packing plant here was wrecked by an explosion of gas today. The gas came from a leaking pipe in the basement ignited by an employe. The los is about $18,000, $2,000 of which is money which burned up when falling from the safe as the oor of the office fell into the basement.

KEPT HIM HIDDEN FROM OFFICIALS

Mob in Tennessee Did Not Propose to Give Up Its Prey.

NEGRO IS LYNCHED

Memphis, Tenn., Feb. 15.—A mob early today lynched an unidentified negro accused of having attacked a sixteen-year-old white girl yesterday. It is said the negro confessed in part. A rope was tied about his neck, he was dragged to a bridge across a branch of Wolf river, hanged from the bridge and then the mob used his body for a pistol target.

The attack on the young white girl occurred at Raleigh Springs, a Memphis suburb. Posses scoured the countryside all day and early last night captured the negro.

He was identified after being kept in hiding several hours in order to avoid delivering to the authorities. After he had been hanged and his body pierced by fifty or more bullets, it was cut down and taken into the bushes, where it was discovered this morning. It is believed the mob was composed of about forty persons, no clews to whose identity were left.

FIRST HOUSE COMPLETED.

Railroaders' Realty Company to Have a "House-Warming."

The Railroaders' Realty company, organized a few months ago, has just completed its first house, located at 2025 Gay street, and is planning to celebrate the event with a "house-warming" Sunday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

The company is composed largely of Fort Wayne railroad men. D. D. Milker is president, with M. J. Maroney as vice president, Lee J. Hartzell as secretary, and George W. Bradley as treasurer. The company has leased a suite of office rooms in the Swinney block, and has placed C. M. Preble in charge.

Mrs. B. Ohlinger, 1514 High street, was removed to the Lutheran hospital this morning.

A. MERGENTHEIM DIES SUDDENLY

Well Known Business Man Succumbs to Heart Trouble.

HE CAME HERE IN 1876

Alexander Mergentheim, for more than thirty years a well known Fort Wayne business man, died very suddenly at 11:15 o'clock Wednesday night at his home, 314 Washington boulevard west, from heart disease. He was 64 years of age.

Mr. Mergentheim's death comes as a most distressing shock to a very wide circle of friends. It has been known that he had been in failing health for some time, but even members of his family were not aware of the near approach of death. Physicians had advised them that in all probability the end might not be long deferred, though up to a moment before death came there was nothing to indicate its near approach, and Mr. Mergentheim was conscious to the end.

Was Splendid Citizen.

Mr. Mergentheim was in all respects a splendid citizen whose passing will be sincerely mourned. He suffered a slight stroke of paralysis in March last, and since that time had been able to give but little attention to business affairs. With Mrs. Mergentheim he returned three weeks ago from a visit with their son, Attorney Morton Mergentheim, in Chicago. Mrs. Mergentheim, who has given largely of her attention to the direction of the Mergentheim store in addition to exercising devoted care over her husband during his failing health, was preparing to go eastward on a business trip, but deferred the start when on Saturday there began to be manifest more alarming symptoms in her husband's condition.

The deceased was born near Bremen, Germany, June 18, 1848, and came to the United States about forty years ago, locating in New York. Here in 1875 he was married to Miss Josephine Hirsch.

Comes to Fort Wayne.

Mr. Mergentheim came to Fort Wayne in 1876 and embarked in the notion business on Calhoun street. For more than thirty years he had been engaged in the millinery business, and the Mergentheim store has been one of the best known business establishments of the city.

He was a man of fine integrity and kindly personality, whose friends have never heard him utter an unkind word against anybody. He was charitable and benevolent to an eminent degree and enjoyed the unbounded friendship, respect and esteem of all who knew him. Mr. Mergentheim was a member of the Achduth Veshalom congregation and of the Independent Order of B'nai Brith. Surviving relatives include the widow, Mrs. Josephine Mergentheim, a son, Morton Mergentheim, a prominent young attorney in Chicago, and a sister, Mrs. David Mergentheim, of Chicago.

The funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the residence.

The following will act as pall-bearers: Samuel Chaska, Julius Nathan, William P. Breen, Herman Freiburger, A. Ackerman and Max B. Fisher.

ADMITS HE SLEW GOVERNOR GOEBEL

Man Fatally Hurt in Duel in Arkansas Says He Fired Fatal Shot.

Helena, Ark., Feb. 15.—Fatally wounded in a duel with a bartender here today, James Gilbert, who came here from Kentucky, declared he was the man who fired the shot that killed Gov. Goebel, of Kentucky, at Frankfort, in January, 1900.

Gilbert said he had been a member of the Hargis faction, notorious in Kentucky feuds for two generations. Gilbert came to Helena three years ago. Recently he was made a deputy sheriff. County authorities declare he was without sense of physical fear.

CANNOT VERIFY IT.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 15.—Gilbert's name did not appear in proceedings of the Goebel trial. Kentuckians who were closely in touch with the Frankfort tragedy declare that after several men had been convicted and jailed, other men bragged they had been involved in the killing. It is impossible to verify Gilbert's story.

ELLIOTT CIRCULAR SHOWN.

House in Everglades Probe Gets Suppressed Document.

Washington, Feb. 15.—The Elliott circular letter regarded as adverse to the future of some of the drained lands in the Florida everglades and which was suppressed by the department of agriculture was presented at the house everglades investigation today. The subsequent dismissal of Mr. Elliott, who was chief engineer, helped to bring about the inquiry. While admitting that drainage was entirely feasible, the Elliott letter added that "the value of the lands when drained was still largely problematical."

YOUNG WALKS IN AND GIVES HIMSELF UP TO AUTHORITIES

Indicted Executive Board Member Surrenders at Boston—All But Seven Accused Now in Custody.

Boston, Feb. 15.—Michael J. Young, business agent for the Boston branch of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers, surrendered to United States Marshal Guy Richie at noon today in connection with the indictment found against him in the dynamite case. He was held in $10,000 bail for a hearing next Saturday. Bail was not furnished, but as counsel, who accompanied Young, said he expected bondsmen to appear, the prisoner was remanded to the custody of the marshal.

NEARLY ALL IN CUSTODY.

But Seven Out of Fifty-four Remain to Be Arrested.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 15.—Official reports received by the government before noon today showed that only seven out of the fifty-four men indicted in the dynamite conspiracy had not been arrested.

Those not arrested or in custody, according to government advices, are Michael J. Young, of Boston, member of the executive board of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers; J. J. McCray, formerly an iron worker of Wheeling, W. Va., but said to have left there; J. W. Irwin, Peoria, Ill., local union official; Frank K. Painter, Omaha, Neb., local union official, said to have left there; Milton H. Davis, former member executive board; Patrick Ryan, Chicago, local business agent, and Wm. A. Benson, Detroit, former president of the Detroit Federation of Labor.

District Attorney Charles W. Miller was in communication with the federal authorities at Boston today in reference to the search for Young. Mr. Miller said the government was particularly anxious to apprehend Young, who is one of the five executive board members indicted.

The other members are Frank M. Ryan, also president of the iron workers; Herbert S. Hockin, of Detroit; John T. Butler, of Buffalo, N. Y., and Philip A. Cooley, of New Orleans. All the men west of Denver who were indicted are regarded as being already in custody.

Appeals came to President Ryan from many points today asking the iron workers' international union to assist indicted men in securing bond and to prevent them from going to jail. Some of the appeals were said to have come from those who had escaped serving of warrants for their arrest and who were endeavoring to be assured that they would not have to go to jail.

To the appeals generally the iron workers' officials replied that the union was in no position to furnish bonds as the aggregate of $340,000 required for all the men made it impossible.

That a great majority of the indictments were based on evidence taken by the government from the iron workers' international offices here District Attorney Miller said. The evidence was thus secured, he said, as correspondence from local unions in which reference to places that were to be blown up was made.

According to official reports only four of the men arrested are resisting removal to Indianapolis for arraignment. They are W. Bert Brown and W. M. McCain, of Kansas City, Mo., and W. E. Reddin and Herman Seiffert, of Milwaukee, Wis.

CANNOT FIND DAVIS.

Accused Man Reported to Have Left Philadelphia Years Ago.

Philadelphia, Feb. 15.—Milton H. Davis, under indictment at Indianapolis in connection with the dynamite conspiracy cases has not yet been apprehended by the federal authorities in this city. He is said to have left Philadelphia in 1906. Labor men say he quit the labor movement and entered business, but they do not recall in what part of the country he settled. Government officers were notified here today to arrest any of the seven missing men indicted in the dynamite conspiracy who have not yet been taken into custody by the federal authorities in other cities.

EXPECT TO GIVE BOND.

New York, Feb. 15.—Frank O. Webb, Patrick F. Farrell and Daniel Brophy, the thre members of the iron workers union arrested here in connection with indictments on dynamiting and conspiracy charges in Indianapolis, expected today to be able to furnish the $10,000 bail required. All three men protested their innocence and said that they had no knowledge of the crimes charged. The three prisoners probably will faive extradition and go voluntarily to Indianapolis.

"I lived in Indianapolis and worked for the union," said Brophy, "but when I came back I did not own race horses or corner saloons, but went to work."

GIVES UP LONG FIGHT.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Feb. 15.—Hugh A. Burrell, formerly a banker of Brownstown, Ind., charged with embezzling $12,000, today gave up his long fight against extradition and started for Indiana. During the last sixteen months Burrell has been in jail here. Seventeen indictments stand against Burrell at Brownstown.

Percy L. Nussbaum, of Marion, was in the city Wednesday on a business trip.

PIERCE STARTS A BIG LEGAL FIGHT

To Wrest Control of Oil Concern from Standard Interests.

BEATEN IN RETURNS

St. Louis, Feb. 15.—Beaten on the face of the returns of the annual stockholders' election by the Standard-Rockefeller interests for the control of the Waters-Pierce Oil company Henry Clay Pierce and his associates laid the ground work today for a legal fight for the control of the corporation. Through representatives of the Pierce interests a statement was given out attacking the good faith of the Standard Oil interests in complying with the decree of dissolution of the United States supreme court and the supreme court of Missouri, ousting the Standard from this state, and declaring that the individuals charged by the government with conspiracy in restraint of trade were trying to perpetuate the oil trust in a new form. The fight between the Pierce and Rockefeller interests was taken into court upon a writ of mandamus filed by the Rockefeller interests to compel the tellers appointed by Pierce to count the ballots offered by the Standard Oil-Rockefeller stockholders through M. M. Vanduren and Walter E. Taylor as proxies. The Pierce representatives charged that the Standard Oil-Rockefeller interests were conspiring not only to perpetuate the oil trust in the United States through the individual control of the many corporations which formerly constituted the Standard Oil company of New Jersey but that they were planning to get control of the business of Mexico.

When the stockholders met Attorney Walter F. Taylor, of counsel for the

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LIKELY TO SOON SEEK NEW HOME

Commercial Club May Get Quarters in Lincoln Life Building.

ON UPPER FLOORS

Members of the Commercial club are discussing with much interest a proposition broached within the past few days under which there is a possibility that the club may secure new quarters in the Lincoln Life building on East Berry street.

In the improvement of its recently purchased property, the Elektron building, the Lincoln Life has in contemplation the addition of two stores to the building, and many members of the Commercial club look with favor upon the suggestion that the club lease these two new upper stories as a permanent home for the club. The matter has not yet progressed to a point where anything definite has come of it.

The commercial club will hold its annual meeting next month, and in the opinion of many members the choice for the presidency next year is likely to fall upon Theodore F. Thieme.

ENDORSED GOV. MARSHALL.

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 15.—The Vigo county democratic convention here today elected Donn M. Roberts chairman, endorsed Gov. Marshall for president, Samuel Ralston for governor of Indiana, and Ralph Moss for re-election as congressman from the Fifth district.

CHINK UNDER ARREST.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 15.—The police early today arrested a Chinese named Hing Sing on suspicion of having committed a murder in Chicago. He was taken into custody on information from the Chicago police. Hing Sing says he is not the man wanted.

HOISTS FLAG OF REPUBLIC.

Rome, Feb. 15.—The Chinese legation here today, for the first time, hoisted the republican flag. The minister also officially announced the proclamation of the republic. Many callers went to the legation to offer their congratulations.

Mrs. J. L. Horstman celebrated her birthday Sunday night by entertaining a number of friends and relatives at dinner at her home, 216 West Main street. Following the supper the guests enjoyed a sleighing party.

WISH OF FATHER IS CARRIED OUT

David S. Eckert Called East by Death of an Aged Aunt.

DEATH DUE TO FALL

In compliance with the wish of John C. Eckert, prior to his death one of the leading cigar manufacturers of the city, David S. Eckert has gone to Harrisburg, Pa., to attend the funeral of his aunt, Miss Sarah Eckert, who is dead as the result of a fracture of the skull sustained in a fall about three weeks ago. She was 78 years old.

Miss Eckert is the second of three sisters to be called by death. Mr. Eckert requested the members of his family to see that his three sisters were supported and for a number of years they have been provided for and it is out of regard for this request that the son has gone to Harrisburg to arrange for the funeral.

The deceased lived in Fort Wayne for a time but had resided in and around Harrisburg since 1878 and the surviving sister, who is 80 years old, will make her home in Pittsburg with one of her nieces.

PIERCE STARTS A BIG LEGAL FIGHT

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Standard Oil interests and M. M. Vanduren, son-in-law of John D. Archbold, who was a director and one of the principal owners of Standard Oil, offered to vote the shares of stock owned by Archbold. Pierce filed written protest. The Standard interests wished to vote the stock for three directors, Robert W. Stewart, of Chicago, an attorney for the Standard Oil company of Indiana; George W. Mayer, of Kansas City, manager of the Standard Oil company of Indiana at Kansas City and Charles M. Adams, now secretary and treasurer of the Waters-Pierce company.

Pierce protested against the acceptance of the vote of Archbold stock and against the acceptance of the vote of all other stock owned by persons confederated or allied with Archbold, Rockefeller and the Standard Oil company. He declared that by reason of the connection of Mayer and Stewart with the Standard Oil of Indiana they were ineligible as directors of the Waters—Pierce company, under the decision of the supreme court of the United States and supreme court of Missouri. Since the Standard Oil company was ousted from Missouri under the decree of the supreme court no effort had been made to vote the stock. Vanburn, and Taylor, as representative of the Standard Oil interests, offered to vote at the annual meeting 20,057 shares of Waters-Pierce stock, a majority of 4,000 shares. The Waters-Pierce company is capitalized at $400,000, but its stock sells at $1,350 a share. While the meeting was in session attorneys for the Standard Oil faction obtained from Circuit Judge Kinsey an alternative writ of mandamus to compel the Waters-Pierce tellers to record the votes cast by the Rockefeller interests. Judge Kinsey ordered the defendants to appear in court Saturday afternoon and show cause why they should not count the contested ballots.

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Mrs. Baals, whose death occurred suddenly Tuesday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jacob Goeglein, 1225 Stophlet street, was 86 years of age, and had lived in Fort Wayne more than half a century.

COFFINS JUST A BIT TTO LARGE

Embarrassing Incident at Burial of Titled Russians.

ENLARGE THE TOMBS

Moscow, Russia, Feb. 15.—An extraordinary scene was witnessed today during the interment of Count and Countess Milyutin. The count held the rank of field marshal and was chief aide de camp of the emperor. He was minister of war during the reign of Emperor Alexander II, and was the leading champion in the cause of the liberation of the Serfs. The funeral was attended by a large number of deputations, including several from France and Bulgaria.

The coffins were lowered into the vaults with imposing military honors but an awkward situation arose.

Both coffins were several inches larger than the apertures in the tombs. Workmen were at once called, who attempted to enlarge the openings, but the cement would not yield. The family vault is composed of five compartments separated by thick cement walls and it was necessary to blast one of these.

The bodies were temporarily deposited in the chapel, and when the tomb had been enlarged the burial services were repeated but with the omission of the military honors.

Count Milyutin, who was 90 years old, and his wife, who was 89, died on the same day, the countess expiring first.

ADDITIONAL SOCIETY

There will be an unusually good program at the regular meeting for members of the Morning Musical society tomorrow morning in Elks' hall. Mrs. W. H. Peltier has charge of the program and among the performers will be Miss Portia Bohyer, of Payne, Ohio, a talented and young student who plays both violin and piano.

Miss Emma Koenig, of Washington boulevard west, entertained a company of friends last evening at a valentine party. Musical selections were rendered by Miss Eda Siemon and Fred Zimmerly. In a game of progressive hearts Miss Nora Menze won the prize.

The series of informal dances given by the University club closed last night with a pretty affair in Hanker's hall. This dance was voted as the most enjoyable of any of the season given by this popular club. The ladies were given heart shaped cards and extra dances were allowed that the ladies might take advantage of leap year and do the inviting.

A daughter was born on Monday, February 12, to Mr. and Mrs. John Cherry Johnson, of Los Angeles. Mrs. Johnson was Miss Helen Hackett, of this city, and she has many friends who will be interested in the announcement.

The Seneca club gave an unusually attractive dance last evening in the Odd Fellows building, thus noticing the opening of their new club rooms. The dance hall was decorated with many pennants and the club colors, orange and black. A five piece orchestra furnished excellent music. The new furniture of the rooms added to their attractiveness and to the pleasure of the club members and guests. There were refreshments for all and the members of the club received many congratulations on their new home. Officers of the club are Lloyd Larrimore, president; Glen May, vice president; John Essig, secretary, and Forest Hiser, treasurer. The committee in charge of the evening were Messrs. Brown, Brunner and Beaman.

tributed this year and every succeeding year until 1921 among the French olive growers. This will be a bounty averaging $1.17 an acre.

NOTICE, MIZPAH TEMPLE!

The concert to have been given tonight by The Hussars has been cancelled owing to the fact that the company missed train connections and cannot reach the city. By order of

E. H. MERRITT,
Illustrious Potentate.
C. E. READ, Recorder.

CITIZENS ASKED TO STOP ABUSES

Water Supply Low and Board Shuts Off the Pennsylvania.

Water in the city reservoir has been down for several days from the normal stage of thirty-nine to forty feet to twenty-five to thirty and on account of the great waste the pumping department has been unable to make any appreciable gain. Orders were given today to the Pennsylvania company that it could not get city water after noon.

The company's system has been put out of service in some way and it had been using city water for its engines and in the shops.

"We will have to ask the citizens to help us out by stopping the abuses," said Chairman Frank T. Benoy, of the board of public works. "Faucets are left open in dwellings to prevent the freezing of pipes and property owners evidently think it is cheaper to pay the water rent than plumbers' bills.

"These open faucets are all inside and there is no way we can get at them and therefore are compelled to ask that the citizens take upon themselves the duty of stopping the enormous waste."

The supply is as good as it has been for some time and with the entire battery of pumps in action the department is not able to send the water level up to the normal height in the reservoir.

New Engineer on Duty.

W. W. Chaffin, recently appointed asistant to City Civil Engineer Frank Randall, began his new duties at the city hall today.

FIVE WILL HANG IN CHICAGO JAIL

Quintet of Murderers to Pay Death Penalty Tomorrow.

STAY IS REFUSED

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 15.—Five men will at the same time tomorrow morning, in the Cook county jail, pay the extreme penalty for the crime of murder.

This morning Governor Deneen and the board of pardons refused to interfere with the verdict of the criminal court which sentenced to death Frank and Ewald Shiblawski, Philip Sommerling and Thomas Schultz, convicted of the murder of Frederick Guelzow, a Cook county truck farmer, last fall.

Last night a stay of sentence was refused in the case of Thomas Jennings, a negro, convicted of the murder at Chicago, in 1910, of Clarence B. Hiller, a railroad official.

DEFENSE DROPS A HINT AT SUICIDE

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Joseph Spearow, farmer, Johnson township.

Thomas H. Seaney, farmer, Clay township.

Ross Scott, painter, Ontario.

Maynard Ullmer, farmer, Springfield township.

C. B. Horning, harnessmaker, Lagrange.

The list includes seven members of the regular panel, while sixteen of the special venire of twenty-four members were called before the jury was accepted.

Dillon is Undisturbed.

Mr. Dillon, frail in appearance, smoothly shaven and neatly attired in a suit of black, keeps close watch upon the proceedings, but his manner is calm and he betrays no nervousness whatever. Dillon is represented by Judge R. K. Erwin, of Fort Wayne, and Frank J. Dunten, of this city, while Prosecutor S. K. Ganiard is being assisted by Lewis B. Ewbank, of Indianapolis, and John Hanan, of Lagrange.

POULTRY FANCIERS GATHER.

Discuss Plans for Next Poultry Show—Will Have Banquet.

Members of the Allen County Poultry Fanciers association held a meeting this week in the Nellesen shoe store, on East Columbia street. The room was crowded with poultry fanciers eager to talk over the success of the last show and to arrange for the next show, which will be held January 22 to 27, inclusive, in 1913. On account of the fact that the association is in a flourishing condition and a large number of entries are expected for the next show, it was decided to employ two judges for it.

Julius Kiefer and Louis Holterman took a chance at the goat at the meeting and were admitted as members. One of the pleasant features in store for the poultry fanciers and their friends is the first annual pedro party and banquet, given by wives and sweethearts of the association members, which will be held Tuesday evening, February 20, at Langard's hall. Tickets are already out for the affair and everyone who attends is assured a royal welcome and a chance to get acquainted with some real chicken cranks.

PURDUE HAS BLAZE.

Lafayette, Ind., Feb. 15.—The pharmacy building at Purdue university, a two story brick structure at the west end of the campus, was damaged $3,000 early today. The fire broke out in the laboratory in the basement and the cause is unknown, although it is possible that an explosion of a chemical may have started it.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Joseph A. Miracle, 20, clerk, and Berdina B. Nash, 19.

Vaughn B. Patten, 21, barber, and Ada M. Jackson, 22.

Walter W. H. Matthias, 31, butcher, and Amelia M. Yobst, 31.

William F. Bigemker, 21, grocer, and Ethel M. Krahe, 19.

AINSWORTH IS UNDER CHARGES

Adjutant General of Army Ousted and Must Face Court Martial.

CLASH WITH STIMSON

Washington, Feb. 15.—Adjutant General Fred C. Ainsworth, of the army, has been relieved from duty at the war department and soon will be ordered before a court martial.

Serious friction long has existed between the adjutant general's office and the general staff and the crisis came when Secretary Stimson sided with the latter. Matters were brought to an issue by a report made last week by General Ainsworth to the secretary of war in connection with the muster and pay rolls and Secretary Stimson felt that the adjutant general had used language that impugned his own integrity and fairness as well as that of other officers of the department.

The record shows that Gen. Ainsworth remarked that it would be difficult if not impossible to formulate any statement that would carry conviction to any one unmindful of consequences or so uninformed as to the needs of the government and the public. It was assumed that he referred either to the secretary or to the officers of the general staff. Again the adjutant general characterized the staff "as a mere subterfuge of the kind that would be scorned by honorable men" and that the proponents "had betrayed a lamentable lack of knowledge."

He also spoke of the "cool assurance" of other officers and remarked that "it will be worse than useless to present further facts or arguments here." It is also charged that Gen. Ainsworth insinuated improper motives on the part of the chief of staff in relieving certain recruiting officers.

Secretary Stimson in a note to Gen. Ainsworth said that rudeness and ill temper had become habitual on the part of the latter.

He also declared the Ainsworth report to be the culmination of a series of outbreaks evidencing such "intolerance of subordination and such readiness to impugn the motives or the intelligence of those with whom it is your duty to work in association, as if uncorrected, to destroy your usefulness in your present office."

Regarding the attack upon himself, Secretary Stimson said he referred the matter to the president, who directed General Ainsworth's release pending disciplinary measures.

Gen. Leonard Wood, chief of staff, has had many clashes with General Ainsworth. Col. H. P. McCain has succeeded General Ainsworth.

SON GUILTY OF FATHER'S DEATH

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wide leap from the cab of a switch engine Frank Polen, engineer, and George Knilerton, fireman, escaped death today when passenger train No. 31 on the Monon railroad came into the city from Chicago at fifty miles an hour and struck the switch engine. Polen made a desperate effort to pull his engine into a siding, but was a moment too late. It was demolished. The locomotive of the passenger train was only slightly damaged. The train crew and the passengers were shaken up but none was injured.

NEW STYLE OF FISHING.

Petersburg, Ind., Feb. 15.—Small boys are cutting holes in the ice and when the big German carp come to the surface to breathe they catch them in their hands. None of the other fish are molested. During the last few years the carp have invaded every slough along the river. They attain sizes of from four to twenty pounds, and are relished by some people, but many fishermen will not carry them home.

MAY BUILD NEW THEATER.

Rumored That Former Local Man Will Erect Modern Playhouse.

Sam F. Nixon, of Philadelphia, and formerly of this city, and better known here as Sam Nirdlinger, son of the late Fred Nirdlinger, vice president of the Klaw & Erlanger theatrical syndicate, arrived in the city Wednesday and left again this noon for Chicago.

It is rumored that while here Mr. Nirdlinger announced to friends that he intended to erect a modern theater on the old Nirdlinger property on West Main street, between Calhoun and Harrison streets. The property is at present occupied by one-story buildings and runs from 127 to 133 West Main street. The buildings are leased by the Aurentz grocery, the Indiana lunch room and the Amend Bros. harness store, and all are short time lease. If the plans are carried out work on the new playhouse will commence next fall, and it is stated that it will cost no less than $150,000.

FRIARS HOLD ELECTION.

Willard M. Thomas was re-elected president of the Friars' club at the annual meeting of that organization held Wednesday evening. Other officers are as follows: Vice president, Frank S. Rinehart; secretary, Herbert Zur Muehlen; treasurer, Carl Suedhoff; directors, Ed Leach, Merlin Wilson, John O'Connor.

Five candidates for membership were admitted, and reports show the organization to be in splendid shape socially and financially.

PRISONER ENGAGES COUNSEL.

Ralph Fellabaum, held prisoner at the county jail awaiting the outcome of the injuries of Mrs. Clarice Schwartz, whom he shot a week ago, has engaged Amos E. Houk to defend him when his preliminary hearing comes up. He believes that the members of his family at Findlay will come to his aid, although they have not signified in any way that they will interest themselves in the matter.

REED WANTS HIS WIFE WITH HIM

She Prefers Parents and Asks Court to Give Her Decree.

DIDN'T HAVE PROOF

Clara Reed wants a divorce from Earl Reed because she prefers the parental roof to his society and she was able to offer little evidence in the superior court this afternoon that she is entitled to a decree, because it was shown that the husband had offered to provide a home for her and she had declined to live with him.

They have one child and the mother seeks the custody. Parental interference is said to have caused their trouble and evidence of cruelty or failure to provide was lacking. They lived together about six months.

Sues for Commission.

In the superior court Judge W. J. Vesey heard the suit of J. L. McKee against English brothers to recover a commission of $90 for dirt sold at the time of the erection of the Bursley building.

Thousand for Daughter.

For the reason that Mrs. Edwin H. Hulse was first to make the late Daniel L. Harding a grandfather, she received $1,000 under his will probated in the circuit court. He says that the other daughters have been provided for and after the payment of this bequest the remainder of his estate becomes the property of his wife, who is named executrix without a bond.

David Gibson provided in his will that after the death of his wife his farm be sold to his son, Henry D., for $60 an acre and the estate then be divided among his four children.

Wife Gets a Decree.

Bessie M. Reilly was granted a divorce from James M. Reilly and her former name of Mounsir restored. The case had been under advisement in the superior court for some time.

FOUR ARE KILLED; TWENTY-FIVE HURT

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through the roof of the Citizens' State bank and dye works at Bingham, Utah, today. The men killed were sleeping in a tailor shop.

Fred Sharkey, cashier of the bank, was asleep in a rear room when the crash came. He was hurled, uninjured into the street.

Engineer Fred Annis lost control of his engine while coming down a steep grade, following an ore train. The engine left the track at a sharp curve directly over the business section of the town. The tender of the locomotive fell on the bed in which C. W. Lewis and the two unidentified men were sleeping. Engineer Annis and Felix Lombard, the latter riding on the engine, were killed.

Three stores were wrecked and the rear of the bank building demolished.

TRAINMEN BURN TO DEATH.

Three Buried in Wreckage Perish by Fire on Grand Trunk.

Yarmouth, Maine, Feb. 15.—Three trainmen were burned to death in a freight wreck on the Grand Trunk railroad near the north Yarmouth station early today. Two freight trains collided with a terrific impact, the wreckage igniting. Three men in one of the locomotives were buried beneath the mass and were roasted to death.

One of the men in the engine cab, Harry Corliss, was alive when villagers reached the scene, but was so wedged in by the wreckage that he could not be extricated before the fire enveloped him. Corliss begged that something be given him to ease his sufferings and chloroform was administered by a physician. Shortly after the villagers were driven back by the heat.

ANOTHER VERSION OF IT.

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 15.—The Pennsylvania railroad office here reports that four persons were killed and twenty-five others were injured when nine cars of the eastbound Pennsylvania limited express were derailed at Warriors Ridge, Pa., four miles west of Huntingdon, at noon today. The accident was caused by the truck of the second locomotive breaking. When this occurred the two engines drawing the train and the first two cars broke away and ran down the track. The other nine cars then jumped the track.

The train left Chicago alst night and was due in New York at 5:30 today. This train is not the one known as the "Pennsylvania Special."

Telephone advices are that the train was running late and at a high rate of speed when the engine was wrecked, dragging the cars with it.

When the steel cars left the track several were thrown against the hills which skirt the river and two of them went into the water.

The wreck is believed to have occurred near the site of the Juniata river power plant, where the water is quite deep.

THREE PERISH BY FIRE.

Grove City, Pa., Feb. 15.—Fire destroyed the home of John Perdue, a negro near here, this morning and caused the death of Mrs. Perdue and her two children.

The dead:

MRS. JOHN PERDUE, aged 40.

MARY PERDUE, aged 3.

JOHN PERUE, JR., aged 9 months.

Mrs. Perdue had prepared her husband's breakfast and returned to bed, leaving a fire burning in the kitchen from which it is thought the house caught fire. Neighbors saw the house ablaze and the bucket brigade was unable to fight it. The charred bodies were discovered in the ruins some hours later.

The Young Men's class of the Trinity M. E. Sunday school will give a "Hit or Miss Leaps Social" tomorrow evening at the church.

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DEATH CAME AT NOON TODAY

Second Stroke of Paralysis Fateful to Mrs. A. P. Buchman.

END OF GRAND LIFE

Mrs. Dora P. Buchman, the wife of Dr. A. P. Buchman, died at 12:35 o'clock today at her home, 202 Washington boulevard west, as the result of a second stroke of paralysis suffered on Tuesday morning of this week, and from which she remained in an unconscious condition until her death.

The first stroke of paralysis Mrs. Buchman suffered occurred on October 9 of last year and since that time she had been an invalid, confined to the house almost constantly. From this she was gradually recovering when the second stroke came and resulted in her death. Before her first apoplectic stroke her health, while not rugged, was fairly good and she was active in her home duties.

Mrs. Buchman was 64 years of age. She was born on September 11, 1847, in Starke county, Ohio, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Painter. The completion of her education was at the Blairsville Female seminary in Pennsylvania. On December 29, 1870, at her home in Starke county, Ohio, she was married to Dr. Buchman, he being engaged at that time in the practice of medicine there. In March of 1877, with her husband she came to Fort Wayne, which since then had been her home continuously.

Surviving, besides the husband, is one daughter, Mrs. Joseph L. Bradfield, of Des Moines, Iowa, and one sister, Mrs. Emma Reifsnider, of Canton, O., both of whom were at her bedside at the hour of death, having been called here by her last illness.

Mrs. Buchman was a cultured woman. Books were her delight. In religion her creed was "to do whatever my conscience tells me is right." This creed she ever followed and she was a grand, good woman, loved and esteemed by all. The doctor and herself had known each other intimately in their early childhood. They were always lovers and they remained so until death. He was devoted to her always and markedly so since paralysis first came to her, which affected her whole right side.

NEUMANN.

The one-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Neumann died this morning at 10 o'clock at the family residence, 2153 Fourth street.

Funeral services Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. Peter's Catholic church. Interment at the Catholic cemetery.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

Boley.—Funeral services for Mrs. E. B. Boley will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, thence to the Emmaus Lutheran church at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. Wambaganss officiating. Interment at Concordia cemetery.

Wells.—Funeral services for John E. Wells will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence, 216 Melita street. Ladies Relief corps will hold flag services at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon. Interment in Prairie Grove cemetery.

Callahan.—Funeral services for William Callahan will be held Friday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the residence and at 9 o'clock from St. Patrick's Catholic church.

Baals.—Funeral services for Mrs. Julia Baals will be held Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock from the Goeglein residence, 1225 Stophlet street, thence to the Emmaus Lutheran church at 2 o'clock. Rev. Philip and Rev. Frederick Wambsganss will conduct services in English and German. Interment at Concordia cemetery.

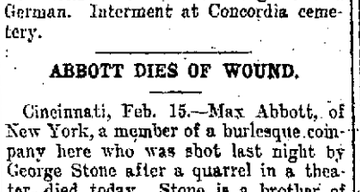
ABBOTT DIES OF WOUND.

Cincinnati, Feb. 15.—Max Abbott, of New York, a member of a burlesque company here who was shot last night by George Stone after a quarrel in a theater, died today. Stone is a brother of Fred Stone, of Montgomery and Stone. Stone is under arrest.

I. O. B. B., NOTICE!

All members of Emek Beracke lodge, No. 61, I. O. B. B., are requested to meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the vestry room of the Temple to make arrangements for the funeral of our late brother, Alex Mergentheim.

EDMUND SEELBERG, President.
C. Young, Secy.



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INDICTMENTS IN CASE ARE LIKELY

Charge That Brandt Was "Railroaded" is Being Probed Deeply.

NO HALT AT PARDON

New York, Feb. 15.—Indictments for conspiracy are confidently expected by District Attorney Whitman, who with the grand jury made further investigation today to determine whether improper influences were used to send Folke E. Brandt away for a long prison term on a charge of first degree burglary. The prosecutor says he will continue the investigation even though the former valet of Mortimer L. Schiff, the banker, is pardoned by Governor Dix.

Following the testimony of former Detective Lieutenant Woolfridge before the grand jury that he had been ordered to get up a report on Brandt's character; that certain matters concerning the valet were placed in his hands; that he made no practical investigation, but signed a report as a matter of office routine, the public prosecutor having heard that an attorney for Mr. Schiff, a police inspector and an unknown man held a conference three days before Brandt was sentenced. It is said that Mr. Schiff's attorney wrote a letter to the central office outlining the character of the report that he desired on Brandt for submission to Judge Rosalsky.

Hearings by Commissioner Hand to determine whether the facts in the case justify a pardon for Brandt will probably begin here next Monday. It is said that Justice Gerard will delay his case in the habeas corpus matter.

NATAL STATISTICS.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Heikousky, 2503 John street—a boy.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William F. Knuth, 1316 Union street—a boy.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Putt, 1310 Elm street—a boy.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Palmer, 148 East Leith street—a boy.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thiebaut, 1421 Clifton avenue—a girl.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William Auman, 1211 Fulton street—a girl.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. William H. Beyerlein, 1232 Ewing street—a boy.

MRS. BIEMER LAID TO REST.

Funeral services for Mrs. Margaret Biemer were held this morning at 9 o'clock at the Cathedral and Rev. Father Schram, of Laporte, a relative of the deceased, celebrated requiem high mass. Rev. Father McCarthy officiated as deacon and Rev. Father Quinlan as master of ceremonies.

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NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORING TOWNS

SECOND LARGEST CHURCH IN STATE

Berne, With a Population of 1,316, Has Church Edifice That Will Seat 2,000.

Bluffton, Ind., Feb. 15.—While Berne, east of this city, has a population of only 1,316, it now has the honor of having what is probably the second largest church in the state—the new edifice of the Mennonite congregation. This magnificent church, with a seating capacity of 2,000, would cost in any city from $85,000 to $100,000, but at Berne it was built for much less. The style of the church is Gothic and its demensions 68x158.

The church choir, which is considered the best talented in this part of the state, has 120 trained singers, and the choir loft will accommodate 150. In connection with the new church a barn, 132x180, has been built, which encloses under one roof and accommodates about 100 teams.

Hundreds of people from abroad are expected to be present on dedication day, which will be Easter Sunday, April 7th.

The church, with its various departments of religious work, has a constituency of about 1,200 members, of whom over 800 are members of the church in full connection.

Rev. S. F. Sprunger, who has been its pastor for thirty-five years consecutively, is again in charge since the resignation and departure of Rev. J. W. Kliewer last summer.

C. A. Neuenschwander, one of the original members of the society, has been treasurer of the Sunday school for over twenty-five years, being the first treasurer ever elected by the church. J. F. Lehman, an active state association Sunday school worker, is the superintendent of the school.

NEW CHURCH DEDICATED.

The Church of Christ at Portland Formally Opened Sunday.

Portland, Ind., Feb. 15.—Invitations are now being sent out to citizens generally inviting them to attend the dedicatory services of the new Church of Christ building, corner of Walnut and Commerce streets. The services will be held at 10:30 o'clock next Sunday forenoon and will be in charge of Rev. George L. Snively, of Lewiston, Ill. Other churches in the city will dispense with the regular preaching services Sunday forenoon permitting the members to attend the service at the new place of worship.

THE LIGHTS NOW BURNING.

Streets of Ossian Are Brilliantly Lighted.

Ossian, Ind., Feb. 15.—The town of Ossian was lighted Tuesday night with electric lights for the first time. A break in lines which spoiled the main feature of the celebration of last Saturday night, was repaired and the current was turned into the Ossian lines Tuesday. There are twelve street lights in the town, and it is claimed that about sixty residence also have been wired for lights.

WEDDED AT HUNTINGTON.

Huntington, Ind., Feb. 15.—William Bauer and Miss Celia Scher, a young Catholic couple of the Nix settlement, were wedded Wednesday forenoon at the St. Peters and Paul church in Huntington. The groom is a son of the late Peter Bauer, of Whitley county, and his bride is a daughter of Joseph Scher, of Huntington county. They will reside in Huntington county on the Joe Meyer farm.

A HINT TO WOMEN

Dr. Baker in "The Modern Home."

I not infrequently am at a loss to find matters of general interest for these columns, but the subject of beauty—beauty of color, health and figure, appeals now to all women, young or old, as it did to Mother Eve. Physicians are keen observers, and most of us know that any woman who has perfect health, also is blessed with pink cheeks, sparking eyes, red lips and trim figure. The perfectly healthy woman is rare, and it shall be my aim to suggest to those who are not my patients some of the reasons for ill health and how to overcome them.

Some women develop anemia early in life, while others are blessed with perfect health all through childhood, but in young womanhood the derangement occurs which makes them anemic, thin, bloodless, colorless, despondent and with a long train of feminine ills, which depletes the nervous system and causes the haggard appearance of sleeplessness or worry. Mainly, the cause is a derangement of metabolism. Metabolism is the process of the changing of the cells and blood—the renewal and the waste matter. If metabolism be correct in a human body, then health and beauty are assured. Physicians who understand this process chemically, know by actual demonstration that any woman or girl can change or correct the metabolism of the body and restore plumpness, color and health by drinking of a German chemist's fluid, called metabolinum, twice daily for a few weeks and thereafter two or three times a week. Concentrated and sold in pint bottles only by the leading pharmacists of the larger cities. It is most too expensive for the poor, who need it most, but leading actors, actresses, singers and society women are now drinking metabolinum regularly to strengthen their nerves and preserve their looks and youth. Selling at one dollar and a quarter per pint—which makes a gallon when diluted with water—it soon become popular with the rich, who never consider price if a thing is needed. As it contains no alcohol or narcotic drugs I feel free to recommend this fluid-nerve-food-drink "metabolinum" to any one whose nerves and blood are wanting in strength and tone, for it undoubtedly is a builder and tonic of the highest order.

SPENCERVILLE NEWS.

Spencerville, Ind., Feb. 15.—Louis Treece returned to his work at Fort Wayne Monday after an over Sunday visit with his parents, Clem Treece and wife.

Melvin Miller and Louis Treece were Sunday evening callers at the Welch home.

Grandma Erick is very poorly at this writing. Her daughter, Mrs. Fred Hileman, of Fort Wayne, is at her bedside.

Miss Pluma Kimes is at the hospital in Fort Wayne and is improving nicely according to last reports.

Beeks Erick and wife and Fred Hileman visited Rev. Erick and wife Saturday and Sunday, returning to their homes at Fort Wayne Tuesday evening.

Mrs. J. W. Beams returned home Tuesday evening from the east, where she attended the funeral of a sister, Miss Annis Miller.

Vernie Wise, of Butler, was a Saturday and Sunday guest of J. C. Vallien and family.

Ralph Wise and Miss Anna Squier, of Butler, were Sunday guests of Elmer Smith and family.

Grandma Shutt is on the sick list at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Jack Beams, here in town.

W. W. Fischer visited his family Saturday and Sunday, returning to his school Sunday evening.

Mrs. Sylvia Van Zile visited her daughter, Mrs. Wm Schlatter, Saturday.

John Bair and wife were guests of their children, Bert Davis and wife, Tuesday.

Charles Grill and wife were Sunday visitors of Ed Wann and wife, of east of Harlan.

Rolly Moffet and wife, of Auburn, and Wm. Sommers, of Coburntown, visited the women's parents, J. F. Baltz and wife, Tuesday.

Joel Betz, Samuel Betz and their neice, Miss Mary Horn, visited Edward Houck and family, of Edgerton, Ohio, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. F. L. Beams and Mrs. E. T. Edwards were Fort Wayne shoppers Friday.

Otis Goeltzemleuchter and wife visited at Edgerton, Ohio, Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. Edwards and wife entertained at 6 o'clock dinner Saturday L. O. Wade, wife and babe and Mrs. Jane Butler.

L. W. Steward is very poorly, it being necessary to call a nurse Sunday. Mrs. Steward is also in poor health.

Jerry Klopfenstein and wife, of Grabill, visited F. L. Beams and wife Sunday evening.

Mrs. Rebecca Hirst visited Mrs. Nora Treece Tuesday afternoon.

GARRETT NEWS

Garrett, Ind., Feb. 15.—Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bohler spent Tuesday in Fort Wayne.

Mrs. Grimes, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. B. Thumma, the past two weeks, left for Chicago yesterday.

Howard Mountz was at Auburn yesterday on business.

A meeting will be held some time this week by some of the Garrett business men and political leaders to arrange to give a banquet soon for the benefit of the new public library, which will soon be open for the public.

Twenty-five little ones were entertained by little Helen McDonald in honor of her seventh birthday anniversary. The children had a delightful time playing games which made the time pass too soon. Lunch was served. Helen received many presents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cashbough were called to Michigan City by the serious illness of their son, Lyman. He was assistant paymaster for the Haskill & Barker Freight Car company of that city.

Frank Kircher, who has been quite sick with pneumonia the past two weeks, is somewhat improved and was able to sit up yesterday.

Quite a number of Garrett democrats will attend the love feast at Albion Wednesday, February 28.

Mrs. J. E. Crow, who has been sick with the grip the past week, is better again.

Walter McDermott, who has been visiting in Chicago the past week, returned home yesterday.

John Mager, sr., who has been sick with a bad cold the past week, is better.

Mr. and Mrs. Jean Andrews sold their farm south of this city and are making arrangements to move back to Garrett, where many of their friends welcome their return.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Moran returned to their home at South Bend after a week's visit with friends in this city.

W. Williams was called to his home in Indiana, Pa., on account of the serious illness of his father.

Dr. Becchler, wife and child spent Tuesday in Waterloo with the Braun family.

Frank Mayfield, a conductor on the B. & O. railroad, was badly injured at Bremen, caused by falling off the car, and had his back broken. He was taken to the Sacred Heart hospital in a critical condition.

Warren McNabb was a St. Joe visitor Tuesday.

Miss Maggie Manion spent the day in Auburn with her sister, Mrs. C. Wagoner.

Tom Barrett and Jack Malony, of Chicago, are spending a few days in Garrett.

Rev. A. Young went to Laporte to attend a school dedication.

Jim Lantz was in Fort Wayne Tuesday.

DAUGHTER IN FORT WAYNE.

Death at Antwerp, O., of Simeon Hummel, Pioneer Resident.

Antwerp, O., Feb. 15.—At the late home on North Main street occurred the sudden death of Simeon Hummel, one of our eldest and most respected pioneer citizens, after an illness with a complication of diseases, aged nearly 77 years, which age he would have attained on Tuesday, Feb. 20, 1912. He leaves to mourn a widow, three sons, Ollie, Hosea and Leroy; two daughters, Mrs. Flo Dagget, of St. Joseph, Mo., and Mrs. Allie Wilson, of Fort Wayne.

Funeral services from the Presbyterian church on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

The Null residence at 1118 East Creighton avenue was slightly damaged by fire yesterday, the blaze originating in a chimney.

ANTWERP NEWS.

Antwerp, O., Feb. 15.—The teachers and pupils of the Antwerp high school were made glad one day this week when our philanthropic fellow citizen, William F. Fleck, purchased a piano and gave it to the school.

Louis Wanamacher, of Defiance, was an Antwerp visitor Tuesday and Wednesday.

J. Hoover, of Defiance, will soon become an Antwerp citizen, having accepted a position in the J. L. Johnson blacksmith shop at this place.

L. O. Duval has lately purchased of John Stiner his entire flock of White Orpingtons and has taken them to his farm, and will devote his efforts to the breeding of this popular strain of poultry as a specialty.

An excursion party from Payne are contemplating a trip to Texas, down on the Rio Grande, about the 20th of this month. Jessie Cummings, of this place, will be one of the party.

Simeon Hummell, an old pioneer resident and respected citizen, died at his home here Tuesday after an illness of several months' duration, yet his death was unlooked for at this time and he was apparently in better health than for days past, having eaten a more than usual hearty dinner, and seemed to be in a more than usually happy frame of mind. About 2 o'clock p. m. his wife noticed that he seemed to be ailing and went to a neighbors for assistance. On her return to the house he was breathing his last. Simeon Hummell came to this county about forty-two years ago, residing for a time in the south part of the county, then removing with his family to the farm north of this place—known as the Commodore Little place—which he purchased and which he successfully farmed until a few years since, when he retired from active farm life and came to our village to reside, where he had gained the respect and esteem due an upright and honest citizen. He leaves a widow and five children to mourn his departure from this life. His age at the time of death was 76 years, 11 months and 20 days. Funeral from the Presbyterian church at 2 o'clock p. m. Sunday, Rev. Bardelmier officiating. Interment in Maumee cemetery.

David Carr, a well known pioneer resident, living on a farm just east of town, died at his home Wednesday, after a short illness, aged 75 years. Davie, as he was familiarly known, had been a resident here for upwards of fifty years. He was the father of seventeen children, having been married twice. Funeral will be held Friday from his late home.

Mrs. William Coffet is quite ill at her home with a complication of diseases.

Revival services are being held at the U. B. church, the same being commenced Sunday evening, Feb. 11, Rev. Bolduc having them in charge.

The Matzen Brothers, who purchased a corn shelling outfit some time since, which they are operating in the neighborhood just southwest of town, have shelled 60,000 bushels of corn in the past few weeks, the most of which has found a market at the elevators at this place.

A car load of chestnut hard coal was received here Monday evening and Tuesday it was dealt out in homeopathic doses to the numerous persons that applied for a portion of it, and they had to be satisfied with a few tablespoonfuls in order to give all their share of the car load.

Miss Fredie Kigar went to Continental Wednesday, where she will be the guest of relatives for several days.

A feature of the Sunday morning services at the Presbyterian church will be a number of selections on the pipe organ by Mrs. Nettie Finley, specially prepared for the occasion.

James Chorpening was the guest of Fort Wayne relatives and friends a few days this week.

Joseph P. Schaffer, member of the state board of control, with headquarters at Columbus, has been spending a few days at his home here.

Owing to a change in the Indiana laws, each township is now eligible to a farmers' institute, and to comply with same the farmers of Scipio township,

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Allen county, met at the Center schoolhouse Feb. 1 and organized by electing Clarence Brush, president; Dane Driver, secretary, with Daniel Rose as treasurer. The farmers over there will hold an institute some time next winter, and that it will be an interesting one no one doubts.

Harry Murphy, of Toledo, was home a few days this week, the guest while here of his parents, Thomas Murphy and wife, and other relatives.

Bert Reeb, of Grover Hill, was an Antwerp visitor several days this week, assisting J. A. Hutchins, of Latty township, secure sufficient names on his petition to become a candidate for county commissioner.

Miss Minnie Fatt has gone to Fort Wayne, where she has accepted employment.

Miss Gertrude Webb has gone to Fort Wayne, where she will work in a wholesale millinery store, so as to pick up the new creations in millinery for the spring trade.

W. R. Grier is moving and storing his household goods in the opera house building preparatory to moving to Fort Wayne.

A STRICKEN FAMILY.

Four of the Members Are Ill With Diphtheria.

Bluffton, Ind., Feb. 15.—The family of Harmon Lindamon, living south of the city on the Montpelier pike, is sorely afflicted at this time with diphtheria. There are four children in the family and all are sick with the disease, the oldest son, aged 16, in a serious condition. The mother also is suffering from sore throat, but her case has not been pronounced diphtheria. There is no extra assistance in the home besides the father and mother and a quarantine is established that keeps out neighbors, unless they themselves wanted to be quarantined.

DEATH AT GARRETT.

Garrett, Ind., Feb. 15.—Henry Briggs, aged 77 years, died yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. W. Sharpless, on Randolph street. The deceased had been ill more than a year, following a stroke of paralysis. He had made his home with his daughter for six years and previous to that lived with his son, E. C. Briggs, of this city.

MET DEATH IN HIS FLIGHT FOR LIBERTY

Kendallville Man Escaped from Poorhouse and Was Killed by Railroad Train.

Kendallville, Ind., Feb. 15.—Henry Daniels, an old and well known resident of this city, who was recently taken to the county infirmary, escaped from that institution last night and later, while crossing the tracks of the Lake Shore railroad, one and a half miles east of Brimfield, was struck by a fast passenger train and killed. His mangled remains were brought to the Berhalter morgue in this city.

Mr. Daniels was 70 years of age and a brother of the late Thompson Daniels, veteran blacksmith, who died a few days ago. He was an excellent mechanic, but had been unable to work at his trade for several years. He objected strenuously to being taken to the infirmary and ran away whenever an opportunity offered.

GOOD ROADS MOVEMENT

Has Been Launched in DeKalb County —Plan Big Meeting.

Auburn, Ind., Feb. 15.—The trustees of the county held a meeting yesterday and decided to inaugurate a campaign for the improvement of the country highways. The commissioners have assured their co-operation in the movement and on the 14th of March a meeting will be held at which the commissioners, trustees and representative citizens from their respective townships will be present and heard with reference to their plan of carrying on the campaign for better highways. A prominent state speaker will be present.

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THURSDAY, FEB. 15, 1912.

TONIGHT.

Amusements — "The White Sister" at Majestic; Vaudeville at Temple Theater; Motion Pictures at Lyric, Colonial, Fairy, Gaiety, Star, Casino, Hippodrome and Pearl.
Unions — Carpenters and Joiners; Horseshoers; Pattern Makers; Beer Bottlers; Lathers.
Fraternities — Fort Wayne, K. of P.; Harmony, I. O. O. F.; Modern American Fraternal Order; Knights and Ladies of Honor; Fort Wayne Commandery, Knights Templar; Ben Hur Court, No. 96; Rescue and Paul Homesteads, Brotherhood of American Yeomen; Union Veteran Legion; Sons of Veterans; Ladies of Modern Maccabees; Order of Elks.

THE DYNAMITE CONSPIRACY.

The federal government has caused the arrest of some fifty men under indictments charging violation of the laws prohibiting shipment of dynamite in inter-state commerce. The technical offense, of course, is a minor aspect of the crime of which it was but a preliminary and essential part. The real crime lay in the use made of the explosive illegally shipped. Something like a hundred explosions that wrecked or were purposed to work buildings and other structures involved in labor union troubles constitute the real crime. The most signal among these was the destruction of the Los Angeles Times building, in which more than a score of men perished and for which one of the infamous McNamara brothers is undergoing a life term in prison. If the indictments just procured by the government are well based the McNamaras were not all and perhaps not the worst of the criminals joined in what seems to have been a gigantic and well-ordered conspiracy to destroy property and create terrorism by the use of dynamite. The head of the Bridge and Structural Ironworkers' union and most of his official associates are under indictment and arrest. Proof of their guilt can mean only that this far-reaching and steadfastly prosecuted campaign of dynamite was the stated policy and settled practice of the organization to gain its ends in the controversies which involved it. The enormity of this can hardly be comprehended. It staggers belief that men chosen for their intelligence and ability would deliberately choose to enter upon such a stupendous program of crime or to cause their followers to be bound either knowingly or unknowingly to the practice of tenets so hideous and to the commission of acts so dastardly. But if there is anything in these wholesale indictments the union whose official heads are involved is itself arraigned. Labor unionism cannot stand much more of this and survive, no matter how little part labor unionism in general has had in this propaganda of violence or how much union labor in general may condemn it. For the crimes of even a few done in its name the whole movement must and does suffer. The course is obvious.

TO IMPROVE GARBAGE SERVICE.

In ratifying the garbage collection contract the council has made a strong recommendation to the board of works that a superintendent of garbage be appointed. This will cost a little money, but if a competent man be appointed to the place it will be money well spent. The members of the board have already too much detail of public work to personally look after and this garbage service needs constant and vigilant attention. A well qualified superintendent can do a great deal to keep the collection service up to some such degree of efficiency as it is supposed to have and which, without vigilant inspection, it is quite certain not to have. The board should not delay finding such a man as it needs and putting him on the job.

Meanwhile, the further recommendation of the council that the board take under advisement the measures needful to install municipal collection by another year ought not to go unheeded. Municipal collection will solve most of the difficulties and embarrassments of collecting garbage that have always been present under the system of contract. It will require no heavy outlay of money and with the necessary equipment the city can make collection as efficient as it should be. Then by the time the municipality is prepared to provide itself with a modern plant for the disposal of garbage there will be a thoroughly developed system of collection to join with the newer means of taking care of this species of waste.

The council last fall put itself on record as condemning beyond another year any delay of steps to give Fort Wayne conveniences for garbage disposal. This must be understood as meaning that in the next tax levy ample provision is to be made for the beginning. Let this and the later declaration for municipal collection be borne in mind.

ROUTING THE "FRATS."

The authorities of the Fort Wayne high school have undertaken measures to enforce in their jurisdiction the state law which forbids pupils of the public schools to maintain membership in any secret fraternity or organization set up within the schools. In other words, the "frat" has "got to go." The quicker it is made to go the better. Besides being a violation of the law a "frat" is in violation of the spirit of democracy that should be nurtured in the public schools. It is a disturbing factor, fosters snobbery and encourages a spirit of caste that does great harm not only to school work but to character. High school heads and high school educators throughout the country have united in unqualified condemnation of the "frat." They agree that it is without good to commend it and is prolific of evil to conviet it. Whatever excuse there may be for secret societies of this sort in colleges and universities has no existence in a high school. The school authorities in Fort Wayne cannot proceed with too much diligence or rigor to wipe out any "frats" there may be within the schools here.

Governor Johnson and Gifford Pinchot entered the sanctuary and then and there placed the matter squarely up to The Colonel. Issuing forth, they assumed an air of mystery and declared they could not reveal what The Colonel said. They all say that. Have still vague but rather promising suspicion that The Colonel doesn't tell any of 'em anything.

Get a garbage inspector, give him good pay, make him do good work and bring the garbage contractor to time.

River improvement in Fort Wayne means so much more than merely developing beauty where now is none that to oppose it on the ground that we have enough pretty places is not to strike at it at all.

Certainly the Old-Fashioned Winter can come back.

THE MONEY TRUST INQUIRY.

(Indianapolis News.)

There is no occasion whatever to despair of getting results in the money trust investigation because the democrats of the house refused to accept Mr. Bryan's theory that a special committee should be appointed to do the work. This demand was made because it was feared by some that the banking and currency committee of the house could not be trusted to make the investigation. The caucus refused to accept that view. By a vote of 115 to 66 it decided to intrust the investigation to the banking and currency committee, the judiciary committee, the interstate commerce committee, and the committee on elections.

We suggest that before this action be very severely condemned, we wait and see how these various committees go to work. There is a strong demand for an investigation into this subject. Nor does it come only from the radicals. Many men and interests that have been "up against" the money oligarchy are determined that the truth shall be brought out. It will not be easy to prevent its coming out, even if it be admitted that the committees have any desire to keep things dark.

If they can not be trusted, if they do not justify the confidence that the people have in them, the organization of the house that is responsible will suffer greatly. To have created a special committee would not have relieved the situation, for the organization would still have been responsible for the banking and currency committee, and yet would have confessed that it was unworthy of confidence. Now we are to learn whether this is true or not. Under the circumstances as they now exist, we have faith to believe that there will be an honest investigation. If there is any disposition to shirk, the country will quickly note it. What is wanted is an honest and exhaustive investigation of the whole subject. The democratic party can not, in our opinion, afford to ignore that demand. We simply suggest now that the action of yesterday is not of itself any proof of a purpose to smother the inquiry. If there is such a purpose, it will quickly develop. But let us give the four committees a fair chance, and not prejudge them.

A NEW ERA OPENS IN CHINA.

(New York American.)

The Chinese republic is an accomplished fact. The size of this fact baffles the imagination. An era of incalculable possibilities has opened in the orient. It is as if a new dawning democracy had come up "like thunder" out of China.

America should be foremost among the nations in giving formal diplomatic recognition to the new order of things. Certainly the time for hesitation at Washington has now fully passed.

After a rule of a quarter of a thousand years the Chinese imperial house has gone to the limit of dead things. And a people that we had been taught to believe the most conservative, the most reactionary of all the major nations, has taken its place in the sisterhood of free states.

The economic and commercial consequences of this event cannot be predicted. It is certain that there will be great changes. And the only thing we can now do to make sure that these changes shall be salutary to America is to do our diplomatic best to maintain the integrity of the Chinese territories and keep the republic from being torn to pieces by the wolves of international jealousy and plunder.

In the nineteenth century the peace of Europe depended upon "the balance of power" in Europe. In the twentieth century the peace of the world depends upon the balance of power in Asia.

The dismemberment of China through the rapacity of any nation might precipitate a confused conflict of which no man can foresee the end.

The Chinese republic should be kept intact; and to this end the United States should make haste to welcome the new democracy to the family of nations.

MEASURING LONDON'S SOOT.

(Chicago Record-Herald.)

For the purpose of determining how much soot falls in London as the result of the 10,000,000 tons of bituminous coal annually consumed there, the well-known medical journal, "The Lancet," recently made observations for a year, using four gauges, similar to rain gauges, each having an area of four square feet.

The deposit falling annually on London is, according to the experiments, between 53,820 and 76,050 tons, the former representing the result of the observations in the clearest and the latter in the smokiest part of the metropolitan area. At the least this means about four and a half pounds per acre per day. This, of course, represents waste in burning coal, but no one yet has found out how to prevent such waste. The matter deposited consists of carbon, more or less oily or tarry, sulphates, chlorides and ammonia.

A similar measurement in Chicago might give us some interesting figures for comparison. It has been computed that the smoke in London causes a direct loss of $25,000,000 a year in damages to buildings, fabrics and works of art. What is the cost in human life? That cannot be measured, but it may be great. From 500,000 to 1,000,000 tons of sulphuric acid, destructive to human tissue, plants and metals, is put into London's atmosphere yearly by smoke. Smoke prevention seems to be well worth seeking.

A LINCOLN ANECDOTE.

(New York Evening Post.)

Herndon (his law partner) tells the story of Lincoln's encounter with one Mr. Forquer, who had suddenly changed from the whig to the democratic faith and had been rewarded with a fat political office. Forquer had thereupon built himself an elaborate home in Springfield, and over it had erected a lightning rod, the only one in the place, and the first one Lincoln had ever seen. Once, at a political meeting, Forquer set himself to "take down" the presumptuous young man of elongated stature and ready tongue. "His reply to Forquer," says Herndon's informant, "was characterized by great dignity and force. I shall never forget the conclusion of that speech. 'The gentleman has seen fit to allude to my being a young man, but he forgets that I am older in years than I am in tricks and trades of politicians. I desire to live, and I desire place and distinction, but I would rather die now than, like the gentleman, live to see the day that I would change my politics for an office worth three thousand dollars a year, and then feel compelled to erect a lightning rod to protect a guilty conscience from an offended God.'"

SCHWAB THREATENS TO RETIRE FROM STEEL INDUSTRY.

CHARLES M SCHWAB.

"If the Underwood Steel bill becomes a law I will retire from the steel industry," said Charles M. Schwab, of Bethlehem, Pa., before the Senate Finance Committee. "Existing rates of duties are necessary to the welfare of the steel industry. To lower them would be ruinous."

Reminded of the statements of Andrew Carnegie that the steel industry was not dependent upon a protective tariff, Mr. Schwab replied that Mr. Carnegie had been like a father to him and he would not be drawn into any controversy with him.

MINISTERS' SONS NOT ALL TERRORS

One Hundred Good Ones Turn Up at Banquet in Omaha.

SURPRISES FOR ALL

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 15.—It is not true that all minister's sons go to the bad. Enough of the good ones had a banquet here the other night to prove it. Almost 100 men were present, and next year they are going to bring their wives. This list is not complete, but it shows what these men are doing today:

Heads of business firms	11
Ministers	8
Attorneys	6
Real estate	5
Newspaper men	5
Insurance	4
Store department managers	3
Clerks	3
District judges	2
Doctors	2

And one each of the following: Dentist, engraver, abstractor, grocer, bank cashier, army officer, Y. M. C. A. state secretary, interurban railway manager, rural mail service, manager university club.

The banquet, which is unique in Omaha's list of dinner reunions, came about by chance. T. W. Blackburn entertained several men at the University Club when a business deal was pending, and in the social talk learned that each was a minister's son. It was suggested that a general invitation to "preachers' boys" to dine be issued and a committee was appointed.

"Your Father a Minister!"

"I wonder whom we will meet?" was the general query as the men gathered. That quickly changed to the question: "What! Was your father a minister?" The men assembled quickly learned that they were nearly all acquainted. Among them were candidates for nomination for the office of United States senator, and for congressman for the Second district, a number of men who have been mentioned as possible candidates for the new office of city commissioner, the prime Roosevelt boomer of Nebraska, two district judges, a number of attorneys, business men, doctors, and only eight ministers.

"Why are we not ministers?" was the toast topic that brought forth the liveliest discussion.

Was Dream of His Life.

"I wanted to be a minister," said one man. "It was always the dream of my life. But I couldn't afford to. We did not have much money when I was a boy and when I was only 17 years of age I was left to support my mother and sister. And so I was never able to become a minister."

"That wasn't my way," said another nearby. "My father wanted me to become a minister, but I ran away from the school." He became a drummer.

Someone else remarked. "I guess we were afraid, too." Still others thought that it was because they had witnessed in their early life the struggle that their fathers had to rear a family on the salary.

Salaries Too Meagre.

John O. Yeiser said: "My great-grandfather and grandfather were ministers. My father was an attorney at first, but the Lord took away one of his arms and he became a minister. He would have to take both of mine away before I would become one.

"Thirty-five years ago we went to Red Cloud, where there were more Indians than white men. The salary was $300 a year. It was paid quarterly. I remember on one occasion the man came to pay the $75. It happened that that morning one of the church members had brought us a ham. The man paid father $74.75 and said, 'the ham that was brought you will make up the rest.'"

The general verdict seemed to be that the meager salaries kept most of these men from being ambitious to follow their father's calling.

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SECRETS IN THE RAY CASE.

MAJOR BEECHER BRADLEY RAY

Charles H. Whipple, retiring paymaster general of the United States army, put into the record of the House Committee on Expenditures in the War Department two letters written to him by President Taft concerning the alleged misconduct of Major Beecher B. Ray. Great care was taken to omit the name of the woman and that of the clerk in the case, both of whom are referred to as "Blank."

The charge is made by Representative Harvey Helm, of Kentucky, chairman of the committee, and by others that Mr. Ray escaped court martial for this and other offences because of the political work he did for President Taft.

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Messrs. Miller & Moritz will add another story to the Aveline house in the spring.

Hayden & Douglass have moved their office to the Burgess block.

Trustees Daugherty, Bullerman and Hilbrecht left last night for Indianapolis to wage a battle against the reduction of their salaries.

John C. Peters has the plans for his new hotel on Columbia street and will begin work as soon as Landlord Didion removes from the old Tremont house.

Yesterday the Fruit House received twenty sacks of Turkish prunes and have reduced the price to 6 cents a pound.

Fred C. Boltz has secured the agency for the Havana Lottery company, of Cuba.

The colored people talk of erecting a new brick church on East Wayne street this year.

Marriage licenses: Harmon Woelnker and Florence Snyder, Frank H. Teep and Ida Wyatt, John J. Poeppel and Louise M. J. Nahrwald.

Fully $5,000 in approximation and smaller prizes in the Louisiana lottery were drawn through the Boltz agency last month. This makes a total of $20,000 cashed through the Fort Wayne agency.

The Fort Wayne Natural Gas company has purchased the derrick and paraphernalia used by Contractor Neeley in sinking the gas wells here. The local company will soon begin to drive a third well in the east end, using the flame out there as a source of fuel.

Hon. William Fleming has obliterated all traces of the old Metropolitan theater on Calhoun street and will rent the building for mercantile purposes.

R. L. Romy returned last evening from Wichita, Kan., where he has invested in real estate.

Mr. Joe Dehreimer tells us that the big steam dredge in the Eel River ditch is working in twelve feet of water near the Whitley county line.

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is usually impossible to the bilious. But biliousness yields—and headaches, sour stomach, indigestion go—when the bowels are regulated and the liver and kidneys stimulated by

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Private statistics of a physician with a national practice, indicate that *fully fifty per cent of middle-aged men* are partly or wholly deficient in ability, manliness and health. If men could only know the meaning of the usual symptoms which presage the oncoming of premature age many could be saved from misery, despondency and an early grave. Symptoms should not be confounded with disease, but should be accepted as warnings of the approach of disease.

That many may know what to do when such symptoms exist the following symptoms and prescription is published:

A premature break-down of the vitality is indicated by dull, sunken eyes, cold extremities, backache, headache, fatigue, pains in small of back, pains in back of head, spots before the eyes, weakness in spine, twitching and trembling, impaired memory, loss of appetite, wasting, thinness (or abnormal fat), shrunken, flabby flesh, wrinkles, dullness, languor, constipation, kidney disorders, irritability, lack of ambition, timidity, weak-spirited, dragging walk and unmanly carriage.

If the reader decides to try it, get three ounces of ordinary syrup of sarsaparilla compound, and one ounce compound fluid balmwort; mix and let stand two hours; then get one ounce *compound essence cardol* and one oz. tincture cadomene compound (not cardomon), mix all together, shake well and take a teaspoonful after each meal and one at night.

This contains no opiates whatever and may also be used by women who suffer with their nerves with absolute certainty of prompt and lasting benefits.

By preparing the treatment at home secretly no one need know of another's trouble, while the ingredients are much used in filling various prescriptions, so that even the purchase of them separately need occasion no timidity.

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Besides these amounts you will have had the 20 years' profits.

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Greater values and a greater quantity of values. Over $19,000.00 greater stock in this sale than in our great sale a year ago. If your boy needs an every day long pant suit, why not let him wear one of good quality while we are closing out our broken lines in boys' long pant suits at **$2.98** and **$4.75?** **Trade Tomorrow Instead of Saturday, if You Can.**

All Men's Fancy Suits
HALF PRICE.

$40.00 fancy suits go at.....$20.00
$35.00 fancy suits got at.....$17.50
$30.00 fancy suits go at $15.00
$25.00 fancy suits go at.....$12.50
$20.00 fancy suits go at.....$10.00
$18.00 fancy suits go at.....$ 9.00
$15.00 fancy suits go at.....$ 7.50
$12.00 fancy suits go at.....$ 6.00
$10.00 fancy suits go at.....$ 5.00
$ 8.00 fancy suits go at.....$ 4.00
$ 5.00 fancy suits go at.....$ 2.50

All black and staple suits will be discounted 20 per cent. This will make a $20.00 black suit $16.00.

All Children's Overcoats
Sizes 3 to 16.
HALF PRICE.

$ 3.00 overcoats go at.....$ 1.50
$ 4.00 overcoats go at.....$ 2.00
$ 5.00 overcoats go at.....$ 2.50
$ 6.00 overcoats go at.....$ 3.00
$ 8.00 overcoats go at.....$ 4.00
$10.00 overcoats go at.....$ 5.00
$12.00 overcoats go at.....$ 6.00
$15.00 overcoats go at.....$ 7.50
$20.00 overcoats go at.....$10.00

All Boys' Fancy Suits
HALF PRICE.

$30.00 fancy suits go at.....$15.00
$25.00 fancy suits go at.....$12.50
$20.00 fancy suits go at.....$10.00
$18.00 fancy suits go at.....$ 9.00
$15.00 fancy suits go at.....$ 7.50
$12.00 fancy suits go at.....$ 6.00
$10.00 fancy suits go at.....$ 5.00
$ 8.00 fancy suits go at.....$ 4.00
$ 5.00 fancy suits go at.....$ 2.50

All black and staple suits will be discounted 20 per cent. This will make a boys' $15.00 blue suit $12.00.

All Men's Black and Dark Grey Overcoats
ONE-THIRD OFF.

$60.00 Overcoats go at.....$40.00
$50.00 overcoats go at.....$33.33
$40.00 overcoats go at.....$26.66
$35.00 overcoats go at.....$23.33
$30.00 overcoats go at.....$20.00
$25.00 overcoats go at.....$16.66
$20.00 overcoats go at.....$13.33
$18.00 overcoats go at.....$12.00
$15.00 overcoats go at.....$10.00
$12.00 overcoats go at.....$ 8.00
$10.00 overcoats go at.....$ 6.66
$ 8.00 overcoats go at.....$ 5.33
$ 5.00 overcoats go at.....$ 3.33

All Fancy Vests
HALF PRICE.

$2.00 vests go at.....$1.00
$2.50 vests go at.....$1.25
$3.00 vests go at.....$1.50
$4.00 vests go at.....$2.00
$5.00 vests go at.....$2.50
$6.00 vests go at.....$3.00

200 Knee Pant and Knickerbocker Suits
HALF PRICE.

$ 2.50 suits go at.....$1.25
$ 3.50 suits go at.....$1.75
$ 4.00 suits go at.....$2.00
$ 5.00 suits go at.....$2.50
$ 6.50 suits go at.....$3.25
$ 8.00 suits go at.....$4.50
$10.00 suits go at.....$5.00
$12.00 suits go at.....$6.00

All other suits will be discounted 20 per cent. with the exception of blue serge suits. These will be discounted 10 per cent.

All Men's Fancy Scotch Trousers
HALF PRICE.

$6.00 trousers go at $3.00
$5.00 trousers go at $2.50
$4.00 trousers go at $2.00
$3.00 trousers go at $1.50
$2.00 trousers go at $1.00

All other heavy-weight pants in the store will be discounted 20 per cent.

Trunks, suit cases and traveling bags discounted 20 per cent.

Boys' and children's suspenders, half price.

All Suspenders
HALF PRICE.

$ .25 suspenders go at 12½c
$ .50 suspenders go at 25c
$ .75 suspenders go at 38c
$1.00 suspenders go at 50c
$1.50 suspenders go at 75c

Not over four pair to one customer.

All Men's Odd Vests
HALF PRICE.

$ .75 vests go at 37½c
$1.00 vests go at 50c
$1.50 vests go at 75c
$2.00 vests go at $1.00

Boys' Shirts for White Collars
HALF PRICE.

$ .50 Shirts go at 25c
$1.00 Shirts go at 50c

All Children's Caps
HALF PRICE.

Golf, Turban and Polos in all styles.

100 Children's $1.00 and $1.50 Tams go during this sale at 10c

A few dozen $1.00, $1.50 and $2.00 slightly soiled Kid Gloves will go at 89c

All of our $1.50 and $2.00 Ladies' Gauntlets will go at the one price 75c

All Fur and Fur Lined Gloves will be discounted 25 per cent.

Smoking Jackets
HALF PRICE.

Boys' Flannel Shirts go at 50c

Children's 75c Union Suits go at 37½c

All other winter Underwear for Children will be discounted 20 per cent.

Rubber Slip-Ons
HALF PRICES.

We will sell 50 of our $5.00 Rubber Slip-Ons at $2.50

All other Slip-Ons from $6.00 to $18.00 will be discounted 20 per cent. This makes a $15.00 Slip-On $12.00.

Rain Coats
HALF PRICE.

All Fancy Rain Coats and broken lines of staple coats will go at half price. All other staple coats will be discounted 20 per cent.

A few 50c, 75c and $1.00 Winter Caps go at 10c

One line of Men's 50c Lined Work Gloves go at 19c

Overalls

We are selling dozens of our new triple stitch overalls at 75c. It's by far the best overall you ever saw. All Carhartt, Carter, Fink and Cone Boss overalls will go at 58c.

Children's Stockings
HALF PRICE.

During this sale we will sell 36 dozen Wayne Knit 25c Pony Stockings at 12½c a pair. Our celebrated 10c Stockings for boys and girls is the only thing in our great stock that will not be cut in price this month.

Carpenter Aprons
HALF PRICE.

We will sell 300 35c Carpenter Aprons for 17½c

$1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 Knee Pants 29c

Our entire stock of Knee Pants will be closed out at 29c a pair. All fancy Knickerbockers will be discounted 20 per cent; Blue Serge 10 per cent.

Umbrellas
HALF PRICE.

We will sell 100 men's $3.00 umbrellas at $1.50. They have fine horn and gold handles as good as you find on $5.00 and $6.00 umbrellas.

Men's Fancy Half Hose
HALF PRICE.

50c Fancy Hose 25c
25c Fancy Hose 12½c
Also 280 dozen Wayne Knit 25c black hose go at 12½c
15 dozen $1.00 Brown Khaki Shirts, with collar attached, go at.....50c

Belts
HALF PRICE.

All Fancy Shirts for White Collars
HALF PRICE.

$1.00 Shirts go at 50c
$1.50 Shirts go at 75c
$2.00 Shirts go at $1.00
$2.50 Shirts go at $1.25

Not more than three Shirts to one customer.

Heavy Underwear
HALF PRICE.

All broken lines of heavy under wear will be sold at half price. All other heavy underwear will be discounted 20 per cent.

Garters
HALF PRICE.

Boston, Brighton, Pad and Lock Grip 25c Garters 12½c

Pajamas
HALF PRICE.

All Broken lines of Men's and Boys' Pajamas, half price. All others are discounted 10 per cent.

All Fancy Neckwear
HALF PRICE.

25c Fancy Neckwear 12½c
50c Fancy Neckwear 25c
75c Fancy Neckwear 37½c
$1.00 Fancy Neckwear 50c
$1.50 Fancy Neckwear 75c
Also 50 doz. Genuine Cheney Bros. 50c Tubular four-in-hand ties will go at 25c

Handkerchiefs
HALF PRICE.

200 dozen 5c White Handkerchiefs 2½c
200 dozen 5c Colored Bordered Handkerchiefs 2½c
100 dozen 15c White Cambric Handchiefs 7½c
50 dozen Boys' White Handkerchiefs.....10c
50 doz. Men's 50c pure linen Handkerchiefs.....25c
Also 60 dozen Initial Handkerchiefs, 6 in a box, for 62½c. Regular price, $1.25.

60c, 50c and 75c Stocking Caps will go at 15c

Do not ask us to charge or send any garments out on approval. You are at liberty to return anything you buy and get your money back or exchange it. Your purchases will be limited. No goods will be sold to other merchants for their stock. Buy all you need for next winter. There is every indication that woolen goods will be higher. Help us advertise this sale. Remember there is over $19,000 more goods in this sale than there was in our sale a year ago.

PATTERSON-FLETCHER CO.

START PLANS FOR NEW CHURCH

South Side Baptist Congregation to Begin Building in Spring.

TO BE $35,000 EDIFICE

Active steps are now being taken by the congregation of the South Side Baptist church for the erection at the corner of Indiana and College avenues, in the southwestern part of the city, of a new temple of worship, which will cost about $35,000, and with that end in view the board of trustees has already employed the architects, Mahurin & Mahurin, of this city.

On Tuesday of this week with one of the architect firm, Guy M. Mahurin, three of the members of the building committee, Dr. Carrie Banning and Mesdames O. L. Hart and Floyd Wood, accompanied by the pastor, Rev. C. F. Ehle, visited Muncie to inspect the Friends Memorial church in that city, for which Mahurin & Mahurin were architects, with the view of building the church here like it.

The committee was well pleased with the Muncie church. It is a $35,000 structure, built of cut stone and pressed brick, and is about the size and model of the building that the South Side church people desire. At the next meeting of the congregation the report of the committee will be presented and then definite plans will be adopted.

It is the intention of the congregation to build only the Sunday school part this year. This would mean a building that would cost $15,000. It will contain also social rooms, dining and class rooms, and kitchen, complete in all their details, this year, work to begin in the spring. Regular services would be held in the Sunday school room as soon as completed. It would seat 250 people.

Next year, probably, when the congregation got in better financial shape, the auditorium building would be erected. It is designed to have it seat comfortably 350 people. In all its details the building would be up-to-date in its construction.

The building committee of the church consists of E. H. Graham, chairman; Byran Strawn, L. C. Yapp, Dr. Carrie Banning, Mrs. O. L. Hart and Mrs. Floyd Wood. The trustees are Harry P. Fletcher, Byron Sommers, J. B. Mills, W. B. Bechtol and L. C. Yapp.

The congregation is now worshiping in the frame church building on the site of which the new edifice is to be erected. It is proving too small for the purpose and the new building is a necessity of the immediate future. Hence the determination to begin its erection as soon as the weather will permit.

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LEADERS ARE CHOSEN.

Missionary Society of St. John Lutheran Church Held Election.

The Ladies' Home Missionary society of the St. John Lutheran church at its meeting held Wednesday elected the following officers:

President—Mrs. Frank Warner.
Secretary—Mrs. J. B. Lease.
Treasurer—Mrs. Fred Rodenberger.

The reports made showed the society to be in a flourishing condition and as accomplishing good work for the cause of missions.

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SMITH CHAPEL CHURCH.

New Edifice to Be Erected Near Churubusco.

A new Evangelical church to be known as the Smith Chapel church, is to be erected the coming spring on a lot on the William Deems farm three miles west of Churubusco and will cost abaut $7,000, and be a thoroughly modern structure and a credit to the congregation that has been worshipping for some time at the Smith Center school house. Bids for the contract will be received by the trustees Feb. 24, at the Sonday store at Churubusco.

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HAD GREAT CROWD

At Pedro Party Given for St. Vincent Orphans' Home.

Langard's hall and all the other rooms of the building were crowded to their capacity last evening on the occasion of the pedro party given by the Ladies' Sewing society of the orphanage for the benefit of the home. The occasion was a most enjoyable one to all attending.

In pedro the following were awarded prizes: Mrs. Frank Cook, doily; Mrs. John Garty, hand-painted cup and saucer; Frank Weinreider, fancy towel; Frank Perry, booby prize, valentine; Ed Delagrange, hand-painted vase; Frank Callahan, picture; Mrs. Klug, umbrella; Mrs. J. Johnson, crochet hand bag; Mrs. Alexander Pepe, valentine; Alexander Harthol, cigars.

The superintendent of the home, Father Miller, has not yet finished his computation of the amount realized from the entertainment.

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Simpson M. E. Church.

Rev. F. H. Cremean, the pastor of St. Paul M. E. church, will preach this evening at the service given at the Simpson M. E. church.

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AN ORGAN RECITAL.

Given by Prof. Archer at the Simpson M. E. Church.

On the magnificent new pipe organ, one of the sweetest toned in the city, Prof. John B. Archer will give a recital tomorrow evening at the new Simpson M. E. church. The program, commencing at 8 o'clock, will be as follows:

Part I.

March—Triumphal .....Sullivan
(a) Love Song .....Nevin
(b) Cradle Song .....Nevin
In the Shadows .....Finck
Gavotte .....Handell
Vox Angelica .....Henrich
Funeral March of a Marionette..Gounod

Part II.

Grand March from "Aida".....Verdi
Humoresque .....Dvorak
Gavotte from "Mignon".....Thomas
A Scotch Noel .....Guilman
Capriccio .....Lemaigre
Hallelujah Chorus from "The Messiah" .....Handel

There will be no admission fee—everybody is invited. A contribution from each one will be expected when the offering is taken.

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Will Play Pedro.

Branch 370, L. C. B. A. will entertain the ladies at pedro from 2 to 5 tomorrow afternoon at the St. Patrick's lyceum. Coffee and doughnuts will be served.

There are 78,000 professional chauffeurs in Great Brita

NEGROES WERE AGAIN SLAVES

Testify to Horrible Conditions in Lumber Camps.

PEONAGE TRIAL IS ON

London, Ky., Feb. 15.—During the trial of the peonage cases in the federal court here this week there was startling testimony given to show how negroes are treated in lumber camps.

Then contractors were indicted and eight went to trial. One of those indicted, Scott Keeton, was assassinated before his case was called and another has not been found.

Negroes employed in the camps testified that they were held in bondage and not allowed to visit town. They said they were encouraged to buy goods at the camp commissary and that once their names were on the books, they were always in debt.

Very few of the men kept off the company books and those who accepted credit were told on payday that there was nothing coming to them. The account always showed the men to be slightly in debt to the contractor, thus compelling them to keep on working.

Men who stood well with the company, according to witnesses, were occasionally given passes to leave camp. Others who tried to do so were turned back by armed pickets and warned to not try to get by the guard, according to the government's witnesses.

The accused contractors assert they are the victims of a conspiracy and that the stories told by the negro witnesses have been taught to them. They cite the case of one of their number, Scott Keeton, who was killed after he was indicted, to show how bitter the feeling is against them.

WORKMEN'S BENEFIT BALL.

Branch 51, Workmen's Sick and Death Benefit fund, will give a dance at Turner hall, Saturday evening. Admission, 25c a couple

CHAS. W. MORSE RETURNS TO SCENES OF HIS FINANCIAL TRIUMPHS.

CHARLES W. MORSE ON ARRIVAL IN NEW YORK ABOUT TO TAKE A WHEEL CHAIR.

His battle for freedom won, Charles W. Morse returned to the scenes of his financial triumphs. There was quite a gathering of the curious at the Pennsylvania station in New York when the former banker and ice financier arrived there from a wearied trip after his release from the federal prison in Atlanta.

Mr. Morse was removed from his Pullman compartment and was wheeled in an invalid's chair to a taxicab His eyes were closed as he passed through the line of newspaper photographers.

"Spare me, please; do let me rest!" he pleaded when asked for a statement. "I'm going home. Yes, home to my family and to rest."

LYRIC THEATER

The Lyric is showing two great pictures today and tonight, "Through the Flames," a great railroad story and the Signal Code. A most jealously guarded book is a naval signal code. So important is it that the volume is always weighted with lead, so that in case of capture, it can be sunk.

A foreign adventuress, received in New York society under the title, "Countess," was really a foreign spy. Her accomplice, also presumably noble, saw a chance to get a signal code by her fascinating a naval officer. The countess was invited by the naval officer to visit his ship. There she chanced to see the signal code, and asked him as a proof of his love to permit her to retain it until the next day. He refused, but she laughingly slipped it into her handbag. The young officer did not want to publicly disgrace the girl, and foolishly believed that he could trust her.

The adventuress' actions were observed by a sailor. He followed her to her rendezvous with her fellow conspirator. The two were off their guard for a moment. This gave the sailor a chance to make a quick substitution. They found it out later, when they looked for the code book and found a brick. The sailor returned the book, thereby repaying a debt of gratitude, and the secret of a gallant officer's weakness was securely hidden in the breast of a grateful common sailor.

The Gypsy violinist at the night shows. Coming, the big feature, "Wo on the Plains."

Once upon a time a child who was asked on an examination paper to define a mountain range, replied: "A large sized cook stove." The same method of reasoning seems to go with older growth. A recent examination paper at the Sheffield scientific school at Yale contained the question, "What is the office of the gastric juice?" and the answer on the paper read: "The stomach."

SOCIETY

With very pretty decorations of quantities of southern smilax, red hearts and red shaded lights making Minuet hall the prettiest kind of a background for light gowns and flower and plume bedecked hats, over three hundred women played bridge this afternoon at the benefit given by the Junior society of the Orphans Home club. The children of the Allen County Orphans' home will be the *beneficiaries*, the aim of the Junior club being to provide some extra pleasures as well as necessities for them. Prizes were donated by Wolf & Dessauer, Trenkley & Koerber, Mrs. Wm S. Bash, Miss May Jewell Smith and Miss Irene Malloy. Mr. Trier was very generous in making terms for the use of the hall and loaned all his tables, chairs and other furnishings needed in serving the ice cream and cake. Mrs. Schumaker donated half the cakes served and a number of other firms and individuals contributed. There are twenty-three young society women in the Junior club and their efforts have been united in making the benefit a success socially and financially. Ninety tables were arranged for the bridge game.

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A beautiful luncheon of yesterday that was suggestive of a coming wedding was given at the home of Mrs. Eugene Dragoo, of Oliver street, and was in honor of Miss Inez Nulf, whose marriage to Cyrus Andrus, of Culver, will take place within a few weeks. The guests made handsome gifts of linen and cut glass to Miss Nulf after the luncheon and there was music and a guessing contest for amusement. Mrs. Dragoo was assisted in serving by Mrs. E. L. Nulf, Miss Ethel Elliot and Miss Lois Dragoo. Prizes were won in the contest by Mrs. G. E. Tibbits and Mrs. G. M. Fonner and were presented to the coming bride. Mrs. Lew V. Utrey and Mrs. John Magner contributed delightful music during the afternoon. Miss Nulf is a professional nurse and she has a wide circle of friends who admire her and have much affection for her. Mr. Andrus is a *lumber merchant*.

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The first of two pretty bridge parties for which Mrs. J. C. Craig, of Masterson avenue, was the hostess was enjoyed this afternoon by about thirty ladies. A delicious supper was served after the card game and in serving it Mrs. Craig was assisted by Mrs. Freese, Miss Minnie Graham and Mrs. Schmoe.

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Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jones, of East Leith street, are in New York city and Rochester, N. Y., for a few days. Mr. Jones is attending a convention.

The B. E. K. club was entertained by Miss Cecilia Koehl at her home, 243 South Lafayette street, yesterday. Miss Edith Eckart will be the next hostess.

L. Maier, while enroute from Charleston, W. Va., to Grand Rapids, Mich., stopped off here to visit his sister, Mrs. F. G. Cassler and family, of 1406 Buchanan street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gilmartin and Miss Frances Dreier have gone to New Orleans to attend the Mardi Gras and are making stops in Norfolk, Va., Washington and other points.

Mrs. Carl Siemon, formerly Miss Kate Lewis, of this city, is expected here soon to visit Mrs. Peter Pickard and other friends. Mrs. Siemon now lives in Bridgeport, Conn. Her husband was also a Fort Wayne young man.

Mrs. H. V. Sweringen and her daughter, Mrs. Charles Fellowes, will leave Sunday for Newcastle, Pa., to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hillary. Mrs. Fellowes will return to California after her visit with her sister and Mrs. Sweringen will remain with Mrs. Hillary for some time.

Mrs. H. L. Schust, of Home avenue, entertained the nurses of the night staff at the Lutheran hospital at a valentine party last evening from 4 to 7 o'clock. A delicious supper, dainty valentines and pretty red heart decorations made the affair one of great enjoyment to the guests.

A number of friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mrs. J. G. Hoerner in honor of her birthday anniversary yesterday. Valentines were given and the rooms were decorated with red hearts and red carnations. Progressive hearts was the game enjoyed. A fine supper was served by the hostess and at each place stood a crystal candlestick in which burned a tiny red tapers.

Miss Italia Evans, of East Berry street, has been appointed one of the pages from this state to attend the continental congress of the D. A. R., when it is held in Washington, in April. Only two pages are named from each state and members of local Mary Penrose Wayne chapter are naturally elated in being one that is recognized. Mrs. Martha R. Hanna, of this city, a member of the National Historical Research society, will attend the congress.

The N. O. Y. B. club was pleasantly entertained on Tuesday evening by Miss Catherine Schroeder at her home in High street. In playing a number of games the prizes were won by Edith Forbing and Grace Rapp. A delicious luncheon was enjoyed and Miss Schroeder was assisted by her mother in serving it. Other members of the club are Misses Grace Christie, Fay Davison, Elsie Lutzenheiser, Lillian Neidlinger, Ethel Webster. Miss Neidlinger, of Washington boulevard east, will be the next hostess.

The pupils of the Wednesday and Friday classes of the Mulqueen dancing academy enjoyed a valentine dance in Minuet hall yesterday afternoon, several *hundred children* being present. Mr. and Mrs. Trier chaperoned the children and directed a number of pretty dances. The rooms were decorated with valentines and hearts and the children found partners for the first march by matching a half valentine given them at the entrance to the hall. A mail box of valentines and candy hearts for everyone were other things of the good time the children enjoyed at this annual affair.

Miss Hadji Dawson, who is to leave the first of March for a trip abroad, was given a surprise last evening by a company of intimate friends who were aware of the day being her birthday anniversary. A number of tokens, suitable for the time because they were suggestive of the coming ocean trip, were presented to Miss Dawson by the guests. The refreshments included a *birthday cake and candles and many* other things equally tempting to the appetite and there was fun enough to last the surprised traveler all the six months she expects to be gone. Those who took part were Misses Florence Lang, Linda McKinnie, Hester Bash, Alma Dreier, Mr. and Mrs. James Elliott, Gerald McKinnie, Brown Cooper, Miles F. Porter, jr., and Mr. Byers, of Indianapolis, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elliott.

A valentine party of the prettiest kind was that given last evening by Miss Henrietta Brandt at her home in Ewing street. The young hostess was dressed as the queen of hearts and numerous emblems of Valentine day such as paper hearts and red cupids were used by the dozen to decorate the rooms. So when the company arrived they found *fluttering from* the ceiling and chandeliers and any other place that the hearts and cupids could be hung these gay signs of a valentine party. Besides there were heart-shaped things to eat and pretty valentines for favors. A game of red letters occupied the time and tally cards were red hearts. Mrs. C. Rose and Miss Linda Rose assisted in serving refreshments. The guests were Misses Elsie Meyer, Maude Snyder, Celeste Hoffman, Helen Aurentz, Gertrude Hilgeman, Mary Bickel, Esther Snyder, Esther Kornig, and Messrs. Otto Hegerfeld, Roy Jackson, Elmer Grosh, Louis Aurentz, Dayton Channen, Charles Winbaugh, Will Maibacher, Carl Elmer and Paul Rose.

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A Country Party.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Beuward, near Huntertown, was the scene of a pleasant affair on Tuesday evening when a company of friends gathered there in honor of Miss Grace, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Beuward. Music and dancing were the chief pastimes of the evening. A bountiful supper was served later in the evening. There were present at this happy time Misses Bessie Whicker, Chloe Kime, Helen Slagel, Jessie Slagel, Fanny Arthur, Ilene Kent, Maude Jones, Helen Chapman, Pauline Wolf, and Messrs. Fred Baer, Robert Ort, Levi Sefton, Frank Johnston, jr., Russell Downey, Amaza Fogel, Lee Brown, Herbert Isay, Oscar Isay and Jason Whicker.

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Kirk—Tiernan.

Many friends as well as relatives were interested in the nuptials today of Miss Ellen Cecelia Tiernan and Mr. Joseph Kirk, which were celebrated at 9 o'clock this morning in St. Patrick's church with Rev. J. F. Delaney officiating. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Ethel Tiernan, and the bridegroom by Mr. Will Lucky, of Chicago. A large number of friends witnessed the marriage service. The bride looked exceedingly well in a modish suit of dark blue cloth and a coat of the same material. The bride's hat was a beautiful white beaver with large white plumes. The bridesmaid was handsomely gowned in a light blue diagonal cloth with tailored trimmings of white broadcloth and she carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations. The bridesmaid's hat was light gray in color with trimmings of pink. The bride carried her prayerbook with a bookmark of ribbon and white flowers. The wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tiernan, of 1916 Webster street, to relatives and the nearest friends. There were covers for fifty. The bride's table was decorated with a wedding cake wreathed in smilax and pink and white carnations and ferns. This evening the bride and groom will hold a reception to one hundred friends. The bride is a lovely young woman and has a large acquaintance and many friends. Mr. Kirk is deputy sheriff and is assigned to the superior court. He is efficient and very popular. Mr. and Mrs. Kirk will go directly to housekeeping at the corner of Masterson avenue and Hanna street.

GAVE VALENTINE RECEPTION AND BANQUET.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Geller gave a very charming Valentine reception and banquet at their home Monday evening to the employes of the W. F. Geller bakery and catering establishment at Broadway and Washington boulevard. The event commemorated the twenty-fifth anniversary of the business in its present location, and those present included George Geller, Charles Fahrenbach, Earl Teverbaugh, John Kaufman, Elmer Fremion, Willard Geller, William Yarman, Theodore Geller, George Daniels, Oliver Hartwell, Earl Johnson, Elmer Rhoads, Walter Geller, Arthur Geller, Chas. H. Beal, Mrs. Chas. H. Beal, Donnell Beal, Dorrel Beal, Mrs. Bertha Summers, Mrs. W. H. Musser, Miss Grace Stein, Miss Millie Rogers, Mrs. S. Roebuck.

OUR CULINARY DEPARTMENT

:-: MENUS AND RECIPES FOR HOUSEKEEPER'S DAILY USE :-:

THURSDAY, FEB. 15.

Breakfast.
Fruit.
Fried Pan Fish.
Potato Pancakes. Coffee.

Lunch.
Baked Beans. Brown Bread.
Stewed Apricots. Cocoa.

Dinner.
Green Pea Soup.
Nut Loaf. String Beans.
Creamed Salsify.
Lettuce and Green Pepper Salad.
Wafers. Cheese.
Orange Omelet.
Coffee.

RECIPES.

Potato Pancakes.

Pare and wash six raw potatoes, separate the whites and yolks of two eggs and whip the white to a stiff froth. Grate the potatoes into a bowl and add quickly to them the beaten yolks, one half a teaspoonful of salt and a *tablespoonful of fine bread crumbs*. Beat this gradually into the whites and fry by spoonfuls in smoking hot fat.

Orange Omelet.

Beat the yolks of three eggs with three tablespoonfuls of sugar; add the grated zest of the rind and the juice of *one orange*; then fold in lightly the beaten whites of the three eggs. Have the omelet pan very smooth and hot, then put in one teaspoonful of butter, rubbing it around the sides and bottom of the pan. When the butter bubbles, turn in the omelet mixture and spread evenly. Cook until a delicious brown and done, but not hard. Lay a thinly sliced orange upon half, folding over the other half. Turn on to a flat dish, sprinkle plentifully with *powdered* sugar and lay a red hot poker on it crisscross four times to ornament the omelet and give a caramel flavor to the sugar.

PAPER BAG COOKING

Great System Perfected by M. Soyer, Famous London Chef.

TO GO WITH THE TURKEY.

By Martha McCulloch Williams.

I will now explain how the remaining dishes of the anniversary day menu (cranberry sauce excepted) may be prepared by the paper bag method. The recipes given have all been found by actual experiment to be highly satisfactory in every respect.

Sweet Potatoes in Syrup.—Choose smooth, even potatoes of medium size, boil twenty minutes, drop in cold water, peel, dip in melted butter, roll in sugar, put into a buttered bag, with sugar, butter and lemon juice enough to make a fairly rich syrup. Seal bag, and cook for twelve minutes in a fairly hot oven. Pour the syrup from the bag around them into a hot dish.

Spanish Onions.—Parboil for fifteen minutes Spanish or Bermuda onions, chill them in cold water, then cut a V out of the hearts. Fill the space with butter, after dusting it well with salt and pepper, put the onions in a bag with a lump of butter and a very little water, seal and cook twenty minutes in a hot oven, or thirty minutes in a very moderate one.

Baked Pears.—Ripe, well-flavored pears are best for baking, but the ordinary cooking pear will answer if baked with sugar, lemon juice and spices. Peel the pears, cut off the stems and take out the core, but only a little way beyond the blossom end. Stick a clove, a shred of mace or bit of cinnamon in the core-space, fill in around it with sugar and roll the fruit in dry sugar before putting it in a buttered bag. Put in half a gill of water also to the half dozen, seal bag, and cook at slow heat fifty minutes to an hour.

Creamed Salsify.—Boil tender, drop into cold water, peel and cut in two-inch length strips, steep in a dressing of butter and cream, lightly seasoned with pepper and salt. Put in well-greased bag, seal and leave in the oven a few minutes only.

Smothered Chicken.—Have a good-sized broiler cut into joints, taking care not to leave sharp bones to the joints. Salt and pepper them lightly, dredge with flour and lay in a well-greased bag upon thin slices of bacon. Cover with more bacon slices, taking care to keep the chicken spread rather flat. Add a teaspoonful of water, or a couple of peeled and sliced tomatoes. Shreds of green pepper add somewhat of flavor to the tomatoes. Seal in bag and cook for forty minutes, slacking heat almost half after the first five minutes. Make a peep-hole in the upper side of the bag near the middle, and if the bacon and chicken are not as brown as you like, cook five to ten minutes longer. Serve on a hot dish with gravy from the bag.

Good pies demand good crust—shorter than any temper, easier broken than promises. Make it by M. Soyer's recipe, then surely it will be up to grade. Here is the recipe: Take one pound of flour, three-quarters of a pound of butter. Mix the flour with water and salt lightly until the consistency of butter. Leave this dough for half an hour, then flatten with your hand and lay your butter on the top of the paste. Then fold four-corner way, and give it two rolls, as usual. Leave your paste in a cool place for forty-five minutes, and then roll twice more. Leave it for forty-five minutes and then roll twice again.

Bake all your pies in bags; it may seem extravagant, but the gas-saving more than pays for the bags. Use thin pie tins. Roll out and fill as usual. Set pans inside bags and set the bags on trivets. Cook two pies at once, but shift them midway the cooking, from upper to lower shelf, and vice versa. Thus they will brown top and bottom. Grease the bags but lightly underneath; even though they crisp there it does no harm. The essential thing is to keep the upper surface covered and maintain steady heat. Have the oven hot at first, but slack heat after a little—as soon as the bag corners show rather brown. Average pies, with average heat, require twenty-five to thirty minutes. Make peep-holes on top in the bags when you think they are done; if not brown enough, raise the heat a wee bit and cook five minutes longer.

To make the cider-cup, cut thinly the yellow peel from six oranges and six lemons, squeeze out the juice and put in with the peel and three cups of sugar. Make a gallon of sweet cider very hot, but do not let it boil, pour it upon the peels and juice, and let stand in a cold place for twenty-four hours, stirring it several times. The peel can be strained out, but it looks rather pretty in glasses.

For tea lemonade, take the juice of a dozen well-washed lemons and three sweet oranges, cut the squeezed fruit in rings, and add it to the juice. Put in five cups of sugar and strain over the whole a gallon and a quarter of weak tea, boiling hot, then add a cupful of rum. This also is better for standing—it keeps several days in a cool place. The rum can be omitted if there are scruples regarding it. In that case the strained juice of a pineapple that has been shredded and allowed to stand twenty-four hours in sugar can take its place. Dilute this one-fourth with mineral water in the glasses.

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In the Tyrol it is the custom for women and children to come out into the open when it is the latter's bedtime, and sing. Their husbands, fathers and brothers answer them from the hills on their way home.

Miss Elizabeth Brice

Miss Elizabeth Brice, a clever young actress, has scored a decided hit in vaudeville in the East and is very popular there.

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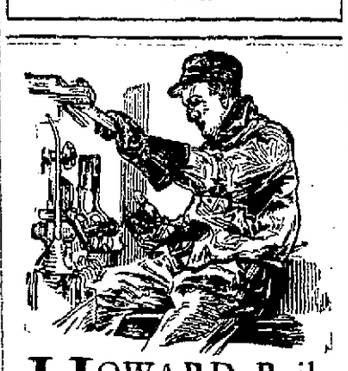

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MISS CLARA FAURENS

Miss Clara Faurens Arrives with Thirty-Three Trunks for First American Engagement.

Another beauty of the stage of Paris, Miss Clara Faurens, has just come to this country. She was engaged for the Winter Garden, in New York, by Mr. Lee Shubert when he was in Paris.

Miss Faurens sings and dances. She has appeared in the Moulin Rouge and the Folies Bergère, in Paris, and also in St. Petersburg, Vienna, Berlin and Brussels, the Messrs. Shubert report. This will be her first appearance in America. She has played in South America.

Mr. William J. Wilson, stage director for the Messrs. Shubert, saw the act in Paris and will stage it here for Miss Faurens. It took thirty-three trunks to hold her wardrobe, and the ship news reporters heard rumors of a collection of diamonds and pearls.

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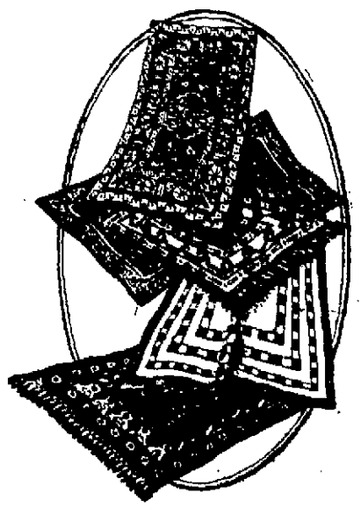

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GOT RIGHT BACK TO MONROEVILLE

Man Caught in Raid Did Not Care Rap for His Money.

WOMAN TO APPEAR

A Monroeville couple caught in the raid on "Mother" Bessie Redding's house, at 427 Baker street, got right back home just as soon as they were released on bond last night and the man's parting cry was that he didn't give a rap, only he didn't say rap, about the $50 he put up as a bond for himself and the woman and that all he wanted was to get back home and square himself. They are registered as Brown and Jones.

This information was imparted to Judge Mungovan in the city court today and he fined each of them $15 and costs because the fellow said he would not call for any change.

Three men and three women were caught in the raid and with the exception of the Monroeville citizens and "Mother" Redding fines of $5 each were assessed against the woman and $10 against the men. Mr. Brown could have saved himself half his money if he had not announced that he didn't want any of it back.

Attorney Albert E. Thomas appeared for the Redding woman and a continuance was taken until tomorrow morning because the judge declined to try the case without having her in court. Frequent complaints have been made of the place and last night a squad of policemen made the raid after having watched it for several weeks.

The Other Cases.

John Piersault was fined $1 and costs for drunkenness and Joe Rice, William Nelson and Tom Foster were allowed to go. Foster insisted that he was not drunk but that he had been siezed with a convulsion and that he had not been drinking at all.

AN UNUSUAL COINCIDENCE.

A Substantial Way of Observing a National Holiday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor, of Hamilton, Ind., a boy, Feb. 12, who should be called Abraham. Another boy came to this hapy home six years ago this valentine day. This constitutes the patriotic family of an associate of the Hamilton bank, Hamilton, Ind. All right John. You're a sustler along all lines and a manager of affairs and will see that Valentine don't act too funny in the presence of Abraham. Everybody will wish this prosperous young couple a Merry Christmas, Happy New Year and glorious Fourth of July as fast as they come.

"We are coming Father Abraham,
"Six hundred thousand more.
"Equipped in glorious splendor,
"And Taylor'd up galore."

—Author of "The Thornless Rose.

Mrs. Taylor is a sister to Miss Eva Jacobs, now a young lady who has been at home with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis W Johnson, of Lakeside, this city, from early childhood. Being specially interested in anything pertaining to Lincoln, she accepts the situation and auntieship with graceful smiles that speak louder than words.

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Mother Gray, Nurse in Children's Home, New York City.

AT THE MAJESTIC.

"WHITE SISTER" TONIGHT.

Cathrine Countiss Opens Three Day Engagement Today.

"The White Sister" is the second of the semi-religious stage romances in which Cathrine Countiss has won distinction and success. Her first starring tour was on the Pacific coast in "The Christian." Last season she made a lasting impression in all the principal cities in "The Awakening of Helena Richie." John Maurice Sullivan, who gives dignity and pathos to the striking role of the old prelate, Monsignor Saracinesca, is filling his second season in support of Cathrine Countiss. Last season he was the sordid and selfish Pryor with Miss Countiss in "The Awakening of Helena Richie." No two parts could be more unlike. Mr. Sullivan is a ripe Shakespearean scholad. He supported Sothern and Marlowe for two seasons and recently was in the Broadway cast of "Thais," with the well known English acress, Constance Collier.

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"Fantasma" Next Week.

Manager Rice, of the Majestic theannounces Hanlons' new "Fantasma" as the attraction of his play house four days, next week. Always welcome, "Fantasma" comes this year in a bright, new dress with many brilliant new features never before seen in this bewitching and enchanting spectacle and pantomine. The Hanlons have provided numerous new illusions and stage effects which are said to entirely overshadow all their previous efforts in this direction. The basis of the story remains the same, but the book has been revised and there is a lot of new music. There are severad wonderful scenes, one taking place at the bottom of the sea, another in the enchanted garden, another in the haunted castle and one in the magic bed chamber. There is a terrific battle in the bottom of the sea between the demons and the fairies and fun by the wholesale is made through the medium of Pico, who has all sorts of experiences that are most wonderful and strange.

An unusually fine cast has been provided. Frances Lee will be heard as "Fantasma." Miss Lee is a soprano with a remarkably well cultivated voice. She will be heard in some appropriate numbers. Geo. Hanlon, jr., will appear as Pico, the clown. Clara Thropp will be seen as Kitty. Miss Thropp is a dainty little soubrette, who also does a screamingly funny specialty, exploiting th chobble and harem skirts.

HAS GLIMPSE OF VIRGINIA BROOKS

West Hammond's Reformer Excites Big Flow of Adjectives.

SHE'S FACT OF LIFE

Hammond, Ind., Feb. 16.—H. Bedford-Jones publishes an interview in the current number of "The Open Road," published at Pigeon-Roost-in-the-Woods, Lake county, with Miss Virginia Brooks, the West Hammond redeemer. Of Miss Brooks, this hyphenated Jones says:

"Speaking of sealing wax, I've nailed boxes in a factory, swung lines on a lake boat, tramped it, and eaten figs alongside Bruce Calvert, so I always thought I had a pretty good hold on the facts of life. So do you, but you're wrong—unless you know Virginia Brooks. She's a great little combination of Jane Austin, Diana, Emma Goldman and the good that's in you.

"If you have never scuttled a ship, and never uplifted a man, you ought to come to Chicago. You can do either one there as often as you like, if you have the price to fix the cops. It often costs whole lot less to put your fellow being in the mud than it does to pull him out. To any one who owns a half-decent soul the vice of Chicago is terribly sickening, degrading, horrifying. You go around for days with a pain in your heart after running up against it. Then maybe you read the Bible and forget it, or else roll up your sleeves and pitch in.

"The same applies to West Hammond, only less forcibly because W. H. is just a trifle smaller than Chicago. It has lots of things that Chicago hasn't, such as goats and sheep on vacant lots, dives without benefit of clergy, and Virginia Brooks. Also it may have good government in the course of time. The vice of a city does not always depend on the city council, but the city council depends on the vice of the city.

"By Gad, Sir, She's a Woman."

"Virginia Brooks is not a fanatic. When you shake hands with that slender, black-eyed goddess of the backlots, you feel like reading Walt Whitman or writing Bruce Calvert. You feel as if you had known her all your life. She never led a mob. (Oh, shucks! What do I care about the papers? Haven't I shaken hands with her?) She has given her life and efforts to the Polish people of Hammond and, in the founding of her settlement, to care for their babies while they work, has brought her work to a head. As somebody said about somebody else, I don't remember whom:

"'By gad, sir, she's a woman!'

"Virginia is a woman of faith. It radiates from her eyes and shines from her work. Faith in herself, in her Poles, in the inherent good and God in man. She inspires faith, too. It's harder to inspire faith in a Pole, but she does it. You ought to see the children smile at her as she passes. Maybe I'm overenthused, but it reminded me of the sick people in the cities of Galilee some years back. When you meet a person who reminds you of the Good Man of Nazareth you're in luck.

"A certain lit'ry man who met Virginia said to me when she had come, 'I wish I was a Pole and lived in Hammond. If I saw that woman every day I'd get the inspiration for the greatest book ever written.' It requires a woman of that very type to give herself to Hammond. Those Poles are no dream of delight to work with. They are brutal and ignorant. Their children and babies drink milk or beer indiscriminately. Their women are what they are. But to them Virginia Brooks is bringing the faith, the beauty, the sunlight of the open road.

"She is fighting the vice of a saloon town with love, fighting darkness with light, fighting the body with soul. The best argument for joining any fraternity that I ever heard is that the local Elks donated the town home, house and lot. But then, perhaps that only proves the greatness of Virginia Brooks."

WOMEN FIRE FIRST GUN.

Kansas Suffragists Launch Campaign for Complete Ballot.

Kansas City, Kan., Feb. 15.—Kansas women here today fired the first real gun in their campaign for complete suffrage. The affair was a luncheon by the Wyandotte equal suffrage association to the officers of the Kansas state organization. Many Missouri club women lent their aid.

Mrs. Lucy B. Johnston, of Topeka, wife of the chief justice of the supreme court of Kansas, and president of the Kansas state equal suffrage association, said in part:

"The extension of political freedom to the Mary Anns of Kansas seems not only to have been divided into three steps, but to move in quarter of a century cycles. The first step was school suffrage, granted fifty years ago. The second, municipal suffrage, granted twenty-five years ago, and the third step, which will bring us right up to John's side, we trust, will be taken next November."

WILL APPOINT COMMITTEES.

Allen County Horticultural Society to Meet Saturday Afternoon.

Among other things to be done at the meeting Saturday afternoon in the assembly room of the court house are the appointment of executive and legislative committees from the Allen County Horticultural society.

Indications point to a big meeting. It will start at 1 o'clock and two good speakers will be on hand and San Jose scale and other interesting topics will be up for discussion. Secretary O. F. Richards extends an invitation to citizens generally.

WILL MAKE A TEST.

If the Harder Automobile company's chemical wagon proves after running 500 miles and standing a test of fifteen days that it is fitted for use here the board of public safety will purchase it for $3,950. A man from the department will be sent on the run and will report to the safety board. The wagon is to be delivered in two weeks.

War on the Plains—Lyric, Feb. 23. 15-17

The new terminal of the Canadian Northern railroad in Montreal will cost $25,000,000.

TO EXTEND POST LIGHTING SOUTH

Petition for Ornamental Lamps from Wabash to Creighton.

BEFORE THE BOARD

Forty property owners on Calhoun street have presented to the board of public works a petition for the extension of the ornamental lighting system from the Wabash right-of-way to Creighton avenue and action will be taken at the meeting tonight.

Most of the owners are represented on the petition and it will in all probability be held up until the members can investigate conditions. The street has comparatively new sidewalks and the only question is that of maintenance.

Under the present arrangement the cost of installation is assessed against abutting property and the current is supplied by the city. If the petition is granted the lights will be put in at the same time as those between Superior and Baker streets.

Chicago Street Again.

The petition for the vacation of Chicago street and for the dead ends of Harrison and other streets sought by the Pennsylvania company will come up for hearing at the meeting of the board tonight, but no action will be taken other than other postponement.

WILL PLAY PICKED TEAM.

For the reason that manager Frank Rinehart was unable to schedule any of the regular teams of the city to play the Friars at the James H. Smart school tonight he secured a team picked from the best basketball talent of the city and will stage the contest as announced.

STIRRED UP MEXICANS.

American Soldiers Entered Juarez by Mistake and Trouble Ensued.

El Paso, Texas, Feb. 15.—American soldiers went into Juarez today by mistake and international trouble is threatened as a result. The soldiers were new men here and a company attempted to go around from one international bridge to another on the Mexican side.

They were stopped by Mexican guards and the whole town quickly was in arms. Cars have stopped running, no Americans can get across and the river is lined with armed Mexicans doing guard duty. The Americans are members of a battalion of the 13th infantry who came from Arizona on Tuesday. The Americans are under Lieut. M. W. Fields, who says he made a mistake. Later the Americans were released and the excitement abated.

QUASHED THE SERVICE.

Judge Anderson, in the federal court, has quashed the service as to the Marquette Motor Car company and the Splitdorf corporation in the damage suit filed in the federal court here by Mrs. Dorothea Roos, who seeks damages for injuries, inflicted when she was struck by an automobile which left the track in the course of the Vanderbilt cup race in New York a year or two ago. It is possible the suit may be refiled in the east.

MISSED TRAIN CONNECTIONS.

Concert by the Hussars for Mystic Shrine Tonight Cancelled.

The concert which was to have been given by The Hussars at the Scottish Rite cathedral this evening for the members of Mizpah temple and their families has been cancelled. Shortly before noon today the officer of the shrine received a telegram to the effect that the company had missed its train connection at Louisville, Ky., and that it would be impossible to reach Fort Wayne this evening.

Fish and Oyster dinner, Hof Brau, tomorrow, 25c.

WOMEN HURT IN EXPLOSION.

Delphi, Ind., Feb. 15.—Mrs. John Kerlin and her mother, Mrs. Minerva McDowell, were seriously injured today in the wreck of the Kerlin home at Rockfield by the explosion of an acetylene gas generator. Both Mrs. Kerlin's legs were broken. Kerlin, who was in the basement, was unhurt and carried his wife and mother-in-law from the house.

WILL RUN TAFT'S CAMPAIGN.

WILLIAM B. McKINLEY.
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Representative W. B. McKinley, it is announced, will immediately open headquarters in Washington and assume charge of President Taft's campaign for the nomination.

Interesting meetings are being held in the evenings this week at the Fort Wayne Rescue Home and Mission, 118 East Columbia street, Mr. Reeves, of Philadelphia, a member of the Gideons, being the speaker. He is a forceful speaker. There is good singing at all the meetings.

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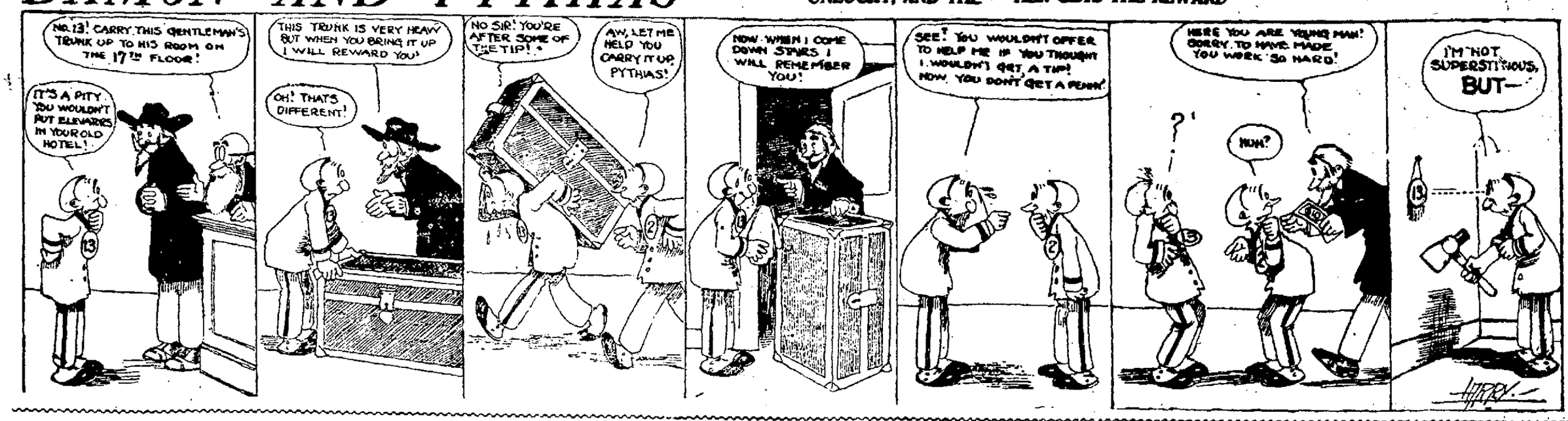
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HUH?
I'M NOT SUPERSTITIOUS, BUT—
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SCRAPPY LOT IN CENTRAL LEAGUE

Two Managers Retain Their Places, But Clubs Have Some Wise Heads.

ELEVEN ARE NAMED

Only two of the managers of the eight clubs that formed the Central league of last season will retain their old places this year, but a glance over the list of pilots chosen for the only twelve-club circuit in the world indicates that the organization will start with a wise and scrappy lot.

Frank J. Shaughnessy, who will lead Claude H. Varnell's hopes, has won his spurs and shown his caliber in the Virginia league, where he kept his Roanoke team right up in the running and indicated that he knew how to get good results out of the material supplied him.

All of the patrons of the game on the old circuit know that there is no better fighter in the business than Charles "Punch" Knoll, of the Vets, who will hold the job he has had for a couple of seasons and who had steered two clubs to championships.

Then there is Ed Smith, of Grand Rapids, the other holdover, who did not develop fully until part of last season had been played, but once he got his squad whipped into line he showed courage and good judgment and plenty of battling spirit.

In the old days when Edward J. Anderson was center fielder for the South Bend team he never lost an opportunity to register a kick and whenever there was a scrap of any kind on he quit his position to take a hand. He has lost none of his combativeness, but has gained enough experience to modify his demands and to use better judgment. In Everett Robinson he has a fine running mate, as he is thoroughly conversant with the business end of the game.

Harry Arndt is taking his first managerial plunge, but he is an old player and knows plenty of base ball and will keep his team gingered up all the time unless his friends are bad guessers.

And don't overlook Angus A. Grant at Terre Haute. He has been with the league since its start and his switch this year to a club with plenty of good backing will give him ample opportunity to display his value, which has never been fully shown because he has always been handicapped by lack of capital.

Zanesville is the only team without a manager and none will be chosen until tomorrow night, but there are enough applicants to pick a good man from.

Of the new contingent only Bill Phillips is known in the Central. He is a fighter in his own peculiar way. He does not make his fight on the coaching lines, but he is thoroughly in touch with his players all the time and keeps his forces keyed up and makes his men play ball all the time.

Billy Gilbert, at Erie; Leo Fohl, at Akron; Bill Greminger, at Canton, are all men with so much base ball ability that they can be relied on to furnish just as good base ball as the men under them are capable of playing. All are able to handle youngsters and develop them and much can be expected of all.

Charles O'Day, at Springfield, has done so well as a minor league manager that he has worked for several years under W. H. Watkins. Now, Mr. Watkins knows base ball from every angle and if he keeps a manager on his list that is sufficient evidence that the man knows how to run a ball team.

Of course there will be some tail end teams in the league, but that does not matter so much as long as patrons are assured of going to the games and seeing base ball played as it should be. This is practically guaranteed by the able managers who have been picked.

PACKEY DIDN'T HAVE IT.

Demonstrated Again That He Can Not Hit and Got a Draw.

South Bend, Ind., Feb. 15.—Ten vicious rounds to an even break. That's the story of the wind-up here last night between Packey McFarland, of Chicago, and Eddie Murphy, who followed the Greeley tin and came west, all the way from South Boston, to conquer the lightweight field.

Everything on the pugilistic bill-o'-fare was exploited by the rival lightweights as the mill progressed with honors nip and tuck in each succeeding session. For the fifteenth time in his career McFarland showed up minus a solid, convincing punch and was forced to be content by trying to stave off the bull-like rushes of the Back Bay contender.

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FRIAR BASKET BALL TEAM GETTING INTO SHAPE FOR FINISH OF SEASON

H. Wilkens, Frank Rinehart, Ed Schmidt, George Gilliom, Paul Dietrich, Chester Hinton, Seymour Meisner, (Capt.) Jack O'Connor.

Manager Frank Rinehart is a bit out of sorts because the basket ball game scheduled for tonight between the Friars squad and St. Mary's Athletics was postponed on such short notice that he had little opportunity to book another attraction for the floor at the James H. Smart school tonight.

The reason assigned by Manager Alter, of the Saints, is that there is a social affair of some kind on at the club rooms tonight and the players want to be present. Manager Rinehart said: "We played St. Mary's once when we were not in condition and did it to help the club out after South Bend had cancelled a date. We wanted a return game on our own floor and it was fixed for tonight after we asked a postponement about ten days ago. I don't want to be kicking all the time, but I feel that we ought to have had notice, so we could have secured another club."

The Friars were organized this season and they have been working to get into shape and with a view of putting a fast five in the field next season. The men are confident they can hold their own with any club in the city and for that reason wanted to try conclusions with St. Mary's, which is probably the strongest quintet playing here this winter.

COAL MEN SHOOT IN BETTER FORM

Roll Up Good Scores But Wolf and Dessauer Squad is Winner.

SHOPMEN IN A FIGHT

Members of the Zurbuch Coal company's bowling team shot in better form last night than they have displayed for a long time and although they centered their efforts on the final combat and ran a total better than 900 they were nosed out by the Wolf and Desauer squad and lost the whole series.

The department store men worked consistently and no phenomenal scores were registered. George Harkenrider hit his stride and with 215 for high mark made the best average with Brossard second. Roger led the coal men. The scores:

—Wolf and Dessauer—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Av.
Brossard	204	157	191	552	184
Haas	180	174	156	520	176
Hill	188	191	177	556	185
Stang	187	168	169	524	175
G. Harkenrider	194	182	215	591	197
Total	972	892	908	2732	917

—Zurbuch Coal Co.—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Av.
Koehs	115	127	158	410	129
Zurbuch	155	177	179	511	170
Lauer	165	184	176	525	175
Hartwell	177	157	194	528	176
Roger	194	160	134	518	183
Total	806	815	901	2522	841

PUT UP WARM SCRAP.

Bowsers Won in Shop League But Had Hard Battle.

Although the Bowsers won three in the shop league series the Bass fire was right in the running every step of the route and the contest was hot from the opening ball. Shoup registered 228 in the second game barely beating Morrison, who had 225 to start with. Shoup won the average for his team and Wm Strauder kicked into the closing argument with 218 and beat Morrison a point for high average. The scores:

Bass F. and M. Co....

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Av.
Shaub	184	228	156	568	189
Toy	158	172	121	451	150
Boland	176	170	175	521	174
Davis	168	148	188	504	168
Archbold	202	133	166	501	167
Totals	888	851	806	2545	848

—Bowser—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Av.
Strader	160	178	218	556	185
Morrison	228	174	154	556	184
Bunting	157	163	...	320	160
Knoll	...	...	120	120	120
Walker	153	142	191	486	162
Miller	205	149	183	541	180
Totals	898	866	881	2585	862

ELKS' LEAGUE RESULTS.

—Antlers.—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Av.
Urbahns	155	139	172	457	152
Mohr	156	156	147	459	153
Helgerinse	121	141	155	418	139
Oelhelb	141	135	179	458	153
Gilmartin	128	141	141	410	137
Totals	714	736	822	2272	757

—Tails.—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Av.
Nies	156	172	159	487	162
Kite	149	137	150	436	145
Wenninghoff	128	...	...	128	128
Sites	...	144	128	272	136
Marlenke	132	182	165	479	160
Bradley	166	136	176	478	159
Totals	731	771	778	2280	760

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FRENCH BILLIARDIST NOW PLAYING IN CHAMPIONSHIP

EDOUARD ROUDIL.

Edouard Roudil, of France, is now in this country playing in the annual tournament for the international 18.2 billiard championship, now running in New York.

NEW PITCHER IS NEEDED ON TEAM

McGraw Must Develop or Buy High Class Man to Win Again.

MAY HAVE TO TRADE

New York, Feb. 15.—The uppermost thought in John McGraw's mind as he starts for Marlin, Texas, this month will be the development of at least one good pitcher to add to the present staff. That's the one thing, he thinks, is needed to "re-cop" the rag.

Good infielders and outfielders are always worth looking over, especially if they are crack hitters, but to keep the Giants up to championship caliber somebody has got to go out and dig up another strong twirler. Without such a help the manager of the Giants is going to have a tough time holding on to the title. The weakest department of the team is the pitching staff.

Last season Mathewson, Marquard and the ever-reliable "Doc" Crandall had to carry the entire pitching burden, and that is a little too much to ask of them again this season. Ames and Wiltse may be better than they were last summer, but neither of them is growing any younger. If Marquard should have a bad year the old "peanut" would go a-glimmering.

So certain is McGraw of his catching staff that he has made no effort to try out a new man. He is quite well satisfied with Myers, Wilson and Hartley. He had a crack youngster by the name of Johnson, but he feels so strong in his backstop department that he gave him to St. Louis. Eugene Paulet is a catcher, but that youngster will probably be sent to Little Rock for another year of seasoning under the tutelage of Mike Finn, one of the Giant's scouts.

The infield and outfield of the team is very likely to remain just as it is. That leaves only the pitching department for serious consideration. McGraw has scraped the country with a fine-toothed comb for another twirler, and at the last moment he may be forced to make a trade so as to secure the men he wants. He has a string of new twirlers a yard long, but it is doubtful if any of these make good.

Of the newcomers McGraw pins a lot of hope on Tesreau, Munsell and Robinson. They are all men of gigantic stature, and the former did so well in the Eastern league that he is being recalled. Even if these youngsters should make good it will be at least a year before they can be depended upon to work regularly. Therefore, it is up to the old pitching staff to come across with the goods.

Though McGraw has had little to say on the subject, it is known that he still has hopes of developing Louis Drucke into a winner. Drucke did remarkably well his first year out, but last season he was hurt in a subway accident and was of no value to the club all summer. While the Giants were at Pittsburg on the last western trip Drucke and Wiltse were sent to Bonesetter Reese for examination. The famous bone specialist declared that Drucke would be in shape to work as well as ever this spring.

SPORTLETS

Earl Yingling has signed his contract with the Brooklyn Nationals at the figure which he demanded, a nice raise.

South Bend was full of stage money last night, judging from the announcement that $100,000 changed hands on the McFarland-Murphy fight.

Walter Queisser has signed with Terre Haute and says he does not want to pitch this year. Grant may give him a chance to play some other position.

Manager Charles Hausbach, of the Wabash team, has about twenty men to select his shop league team from for next season.

Jess Runser has received transportation and will join the Chattanooga club in a short time. He was drafted by Detroit last fall and is being sent back to the minors for a little experience.

Willis Humphries, Wheeling pitcher, will return to the diamond. He displayed good form with a tail end club a few years ago and was out of the game last season on account of illness.

After signing up 36 players, Darby O'Brien, of Duluth, finds out that Duluth is not a member of any base ball organization, having recently quit the Minnesota-Wisconsin league.

Most every owner and manager at the Chicago meeting of the American league tried to trade Clark Griffith something for Walter Johnson, but failed. The great pitcher is about the only real asset the Senators have.

Rube Marquard did not get as much publicity out of his attempt to hold up the New York club because John McGraw refused to dicker with him, and it is quite possible that the Rube wanted a little advance.

There is a young man in Youngstown who is going to regulate the salary limit question. He's a regular out and out phenom. The wisest heads in base ball have fallen down on this proposition and the new Moses is in a class all by himself.

Horace Fogel, head of the Phillies, has written Charles Murphy, of the Cubs, that he will wager him a suit of clothes to cost $70 that Luderus will make more home runs next season than Schulte. It looks like a good bet for Murphy, even if it is against the National league constitution to do it.

Billy Murray tells of an incident which shows the utter helplessness of some ball players. There was a man on second and one on third, two out in the ninth inning and two runs needed to win the game. Yet the batter turned to the manager and asked: "What shall I do?" "Do the best you can," the manager instructed him.

BRUNSWICK LEAGUES' SCORES

LEAGUE NO. 1.

—Eclipse—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Av.
Cope	166	140	160	466	155
Hindmarch	151	142	137	430	143
Lowe	150	132	135	417	139
Zintgraff	163	142	147	452	151
Bolt	154	169	170	493	164
Totals	784	725	749	2258	753

—Fort Wayne Roofing and Paving Co.—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Av.
Bruno	190	192	160	542	181
Nesbit	162	...	165	320	163
Hoffman	180	180	130	469	156
Berg	174	157	164	490	163
Zollinger	179	157	164	490	163
J. Hunsche	...	133	...	133	133
Totals	885	777	765	2427	809

LEAGUE NO. 2.

—Cooney's Little Havanas—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Av.
Yehl	212	159	143	514	171
Geisler	152	132	173	457	152
Freidline	212	184	143	539	180
Cothrell	148	189	186	523	174
Wedler	154	142	167	463	154
Totals	878	806	812	2496	832

—Troy Laundry—

Players.	1st.	2d.	3d.	Tot.	Av.
Thieme	154	174	160	488	163
Buncke	153	161	165	479	160
Swain	149	132	154	435	145
W. Hunsche	164	139	160	451	151
Bailey	197	123	170	486	162
Totals	817	726	809	2352	784

War on the Plains — Lyric, Feb. 23. 15-17

FRIEL GAVE HIS HURLER A HUNCH

Encouraged Eddie Summers and He Got His Nerve Again.

HIT HIS OLD PARTNER

Springfield, O., Feb. 15.—Announcement of the fact that William Charles "Bunny" Pearce has purchased his release from the Oakland club of the Pacific Coast league and will try out with Jimmy Burke at Indianapolis next month recalls the fact that his baseball career was about stopped here at Snyder field when Eddie "Kickapoo" Summers bounced a fast ball off his head.

His last Central league engagement was with the Dayton team, but he didn't like the city and some disagreement arose that resulted in sending him to the coast where he has been for a couple of years. If he fails to land with Burke he will probably be sent here to help out the backstopping department.

Pearce and Summers had been battery partners for a year or two on the amateur lots of Indianapolis and when the Ladoga hurler landed with one of his fast ones his catching partner dropped and everybody thought he had cashed in.

Summers walked behind the grand stand and he cried like a woman over the disaster and he was doubly affected because he had injured his warmest friend in the game. The accident sapped away his nerve and but for the fact that Billy Friel took a novel means of restoring it the Tiger pitcher might never have reached the majors.

Friel walked up to Summers, shook his hands and congratulated him on his control. Billy astonished Summers by saying: "I saw it a-coming, kid, and I knew it was aimed at the right spot. That is the only way to treat them, and the next time he steps to the plate 'bean' him again. You will never be a pitcher until you kill three or four of these smart ones."

Summers looked at him in surprise and finally sobbed: "Do you mean it?" Friel assured him that he did and advised Summers to knock the blocks off of all of them. Of course Friel did not mean a word of what he was saying, but it had the desired effect and Summers took courage.

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FIRST IN THE FIELD.

Manager Hausbach Picks Men for the Wabash Baseball Club.

Manager Charley Hausbach is the first of the Shop league managers to make his selections for his team of 1912 and if no changes are made before it takes the field it will be Oscar Lentz, first; M. Ault, second; C. Jeffries, third; William Meyers, short; W. Ault, center; R. Getty, left; W. Eichel, right; P. Ault, catcher, and E. Victor, H. Smith and F. Eisler, pitchers.

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PURDUE TO HAVE SUMMER SCHOOL

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GREAT NEED IS FELT

Lafayette, Ind., Feb. 15.—When the need for vocational training in the elementary and secondary schools of the country made itself felt a few years ago, the greatest problem that confronted its advocates was that of "securing the proper instructors in these branches," and that problem is still one of the vital problems that is preventing, in no small measure, the general absorption of the idea into the curriculum of the schools of cit yand country. Purdue university has presented a new solution of the problem in its summer school for teachers to be held at Purdue June 17 to July 20, 1912, and which, it is believed, will be attended by several hundred of Indiana's most progressive teachers.

The original solution of the problem, that of taking men and women trained along the vocational lines and giving them brief, if necessary, theoretical courses in pedagogy and then sending them into the schools to carry their information to the students, has been superseded by the more progressive theory of the summer school. In this school will be gathered men and women who have devoted years to the imparting of information. They will need but little of the theoretical work and will devote their summer's study to the details of the actual work they are to teach. Guided by teachers of renown, they will come in touch with the most modern principles; they will perform practical experiments to demonstrate theories advanced by them; their experience will be supported in such a way that when they complete the summer course they will have no difficulty in giving to their pupils in a correct manner, the education they will have gained at the Lafayette institution.

Manual training, domestic science, mechanical drawing and agriculture will be the general subjects taught at the Purdue summer school. This arrangement, it will be seen, covers in a splendid manner the joint and individual needs of the city and farm schools. The natural tendencies of the pupils who will later receive the information will be best conserved in this manner and the prosperity and characteristics of the nation conserved in the most efficient manner possible. The attending teachers will be permitted to take instruction in as many of the courses, or divisional courses, as they desire.

"Such an arrangement," says Prof. G. I. Christie, superintendent of the agricultural extension department at Purdue, "should result in the creation of innumerable better-paying positions in the schools of the states. When this economic possibility is considered I do not believe that any teacher can afford to overlook the great opportunity that is offered them in the Purdue summer school. The permanency of the positions to be secured and the agreeable character of the work should prove added attractions."

The need for vocational training in the schools of today is recognized in every progressive community, and already some splendid advances have been made toward the attainment of this end. Modern agriculture, for instance, has tended to become more than the simple art of former days, and is now a field of increasing applied science. The father of today may be a good farmer "of the old style," but he is incompetent to carry to his sons the principles of present-day farming. The tileage of the soil, the selection of seed, the destruction of certain insects, are all phases of a life that needs educational attention outside of the home, and a vocational course in the elementary and secondary schools can alone satisfy these demands.

In the city life, training along shop and practical lines fills a comparative need for the youth, while domestic science will make the homes of both city and country far happier than the present-day negligence and ultra-society condition can ever hope to produce.

County superintendents in nearly every county in Indiana are spending every effort to secure the attendance of their teachers at the Purdue summer school, and many of the state's teachers' associations have pledged their unqualified support to the movement that is bound to insure a definite return in god citizenship, prosperity and pleasant home life for the generations for whom the nation must be developed to a highest possible standard.

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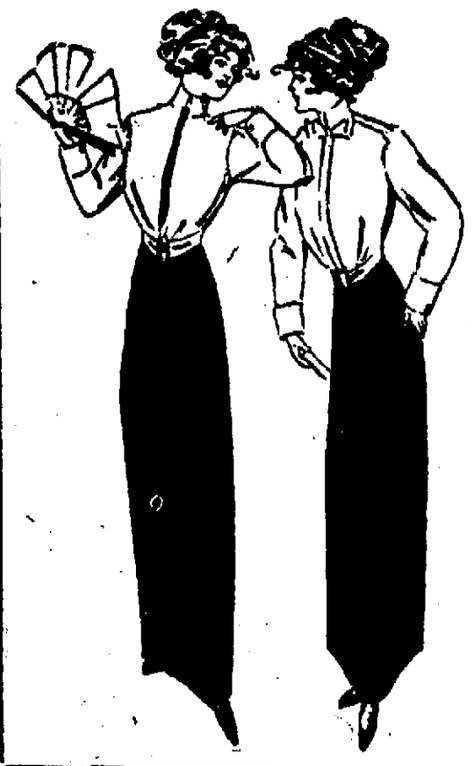

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SAYS MR. LOFTON IS MIGHTY MEAN

Will Not Pay $1,500 After Running Away With Hooper's Wife.

HOOPER NOW SUES

Chattanooga, Tenn., Feb. 15.—George Hooper, of Parsons, Kan., didn't seem to be inconsolable when his wife ran away with Herbert M. Lofton, of this city, and when he traced the pair here he did not plan legal proceedings, provided he was paid $1,500 for the expense he had been put to by the escapade, and Lofton would agree to care for Mrs. Hooper throughout her life. Lofton gave his notes for $1,500, and agreed to arrange within thirty days for payment of $75 a month to Mrs. Hooper.

This seemed to satisfy the aggrieved husband, and he went back to Parsons, where he is the manager of a department store.

Now he has returned to this city and begun suit for alienation of his wife's affections, because Lofton has failed to pay the notes or to make provision to care for Mrs. Hooper.

No Melodrama in Elopement.

The breaking up of the Hooper household was not attended by gun plays, threats of personal violence or other melodramatic features. It was conducted along business lines, much the same as Hooper would get rid of slightly damaged goods at a special sale in his department store.

Mrs. Hooper went to a town in Southern Texas a year ago for the latter part of the winter, and fate led Lofton to the same place on a business trip for the Columbia Iron works, of this city, and he was in a great hurry until he chanced to meet Mrs. Hooper. Then, the husband charges, he lingered in the little Texas town several weeks, and spent most of his time with Mrs. Hooper.

When they parted, Mrs. Hooper went home and told her husband she had an offer to go on the road as demonstrator for a corset manufacturer. There was no denying the fact that nature had amply equipped her for this career, and as she seemed determined to undertake it, her husband gave his consent.

Husband Becomes Suspicious.

Soon after leaving Parsons, Mrs. Hooper, the husband charges, joined Lofton, and together they went wherever his business called him, including several of the large cities of the east.

Hooper did not hear from his wife, and became anxious. Then he became suspicious that the corset story, like some corsets, might be a deception.

He employed detectives, and they took the affinity trail from town to town, and finished in Knoxville, where Mrs. Hooper was found living in a hotel.

Hooper was notified and came on with his attorney and Mrs. Hooper, finding herself in an embarrassing predicament, wired to Lofton.

All that Lofton knew about Hooper he had learned from the woman. He had never seen Hooper, but in view of the fact that he came from a Southern Kansas town that used to be the cowboy's Paris and where handiness with a pistol was regarded as conducive to longevity, he decided that the first interview should be by proxy.

He sent his lawyer to see the husband and later went to Knoxville himself. He did not make a bravado entry, but left the train at a station five miles out and finished the trip in an automobile. Then he had a talk with his lawyer and after being assured that the injured husband was not at all dangerous, he consented to a personal interview.

Terms Quickly Made.

Long experience in the mercantile business showed Hooper that Lofton was not going to be a hard customer to do business with, so negotiations were quickly concluded.

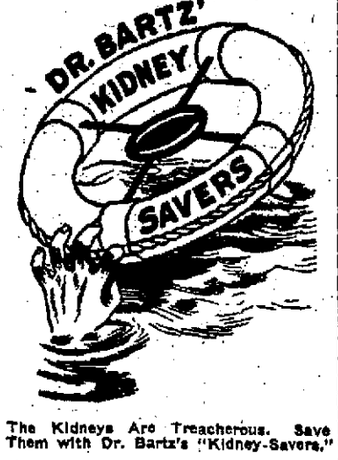
Lofton gave notes for $1,500 and signed a contract to fix the provision for Mrs. Hooper within thirty days. That was in October and Lofton has not paid the notes nor arranged to provide for Mrs. Hooper, it is alleged.

Hooper has filed suit in Kansas for a divorce. Lofton has a wife and two children living in this city. It is reported that Hooper will arrange for Mrs. Hooper to get the income on whatever amount he receives from Lofton, thus carrying out the spirit of the enforced agreement.

Look Out For Your Kidneys!

Pain in the Back Is Warning of Diseased Kidneys—Dr. Bartz's "Kidney-Savers" Can Save Them.

Thousands every year die from various diseases caused by degenerated, diseased kodneys. The kidneys are responsible for



The Kidneys Are Treacherous. Save Them with Dr. Bartz's "Kidney-Savers."

more serious diseases than almost any other organ in the human body.

That pain in the back, that sandy or gritty sediment, or that cloudy substance in the urine, that swelling of the limbs, that puffiness under the eyes, dark circles around the eyes, these are some of the symptoms of grave changes taking place in your kidneys.

Save your kidneys now before they begin to perish with you. Dr. Bartz's "Kidneys-Savers" will save them and save you.

If you have Bladder Trouble, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Dropsy, Diabetes, Bright's Disease, Urinary Trouble, Run-Down Condition or that trifling pain in the back, your kidneys may be saved in the nick of time. Diseased kidneys bring but one result, and that is the end.

Dr. Bartz's "Kidney-Savers" are the embodiment of the world's best medical opinion and are free from dangerous drugs. Their results are seen and felt in twenty-four hours. You know and feel they are saving you and your kidneys. If you are not satisfied with them, your money will be refunded.

Dr. Bartz's "Kidney-Savers" are sold by druggists in 25c and $1.00 boxes, or sent on receipt of price by the Bartz Drug Company, Chicago, Ill. The $1.00 box contains six times as much as the 25c box.

Sold and recommended in Fort Wayne by the Dreier Drug Co.

KELLER'S
Fort Wayne Trunk and Leather Company.
116 East Berry Street. Phone, 2960.
See Our Line of Stationery.

THOROUGHLY CLEAN AND PERFECTLY SANITARY.

That is the way your washing comes back to you when done by The Troy Laundry Soft Water Method. Phone 760.

SECRETLY WEDS HEAD OF TRUST

MRS. THOMAS MONROE TURNER.

Although much secrecy has been maintained, it has just been learned that Thomas Monroe Turner, who organized the $20,000,000 Cotton Duck Trust and who is head of the J. Spencer Turner Company, of New York, three weeks ago married Miss Mary E. Wintrop, the young woman who was known as Mr. Turner's ward and who attained fame as an exhibitor of blue ribbon dogs at bench shows. This is Mr. Turner's third matrimonial plunge.

Peru ranks as twelfth among the world's raw cotton producing countries.

Happy, Happy, IRON-UP Restores

Sick, Sour, Gassy Stomach Relieved in Five Minutes. IRON-UP is "Ginger" to Blood and Nerves.

"The Human Gas Plant."

If you are troubled with indigestion or dyspepsia—that's when your meals don't fit comfortably or you feel bloated after eating; or what little you eat lies like a lump of lead on your stomach; or there are eructations of sour, undigested food and acid, heartburn, belching of gas—you can make up your mind that you need something to stop fermentation and help your digestion. Just know this—that this distress does not stop here, for if not remedied, it causes headaches, dizziness, nervousness, bad taste in the mouth, foul breath, billousness, poor, thin blood and is followed by a general rundown condition of the body.

The sooner you ask your druggist for a large box of IRON-UP, the sooner you'll enjoy health-happiness. It's wonderful. You take one dose and your relief begins. Twenty-four hours after taking the first dose you'll feel like a new person. There's nothing on earth it's equal. IRON-UP makes your food digest just as if your stomach had never been out-of-order. That's not all—it enriches the blood with iron, strengthens the walls of the heart, increase the blood circulation, gives you color and strength, vigor and vitality. It's sure to act. One trial convinces.

IRON-UP is a compound and is sold at all drug stores at one dollar a tin box. Every box contains a Guarantee Certificate from the Iron-Up Medicine Co., Chicago, Ill., for satisfaction or money refunded. For sale by

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Fred W. Meinzen
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A WARNING AGAINST WET FEET.

Wet and chilled feet usually affect the mucous membrane of the nose, throat and lungs, and la grippe, bronchitis or pneumonia may result. Watch carefully, particularly the children, and for the racking stubborn coughs give Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. It soothes the inflamed membranes, and heals the cough quickly. Mrs. A. A. Swagel, Kroh, Wis., says: "I always give Foley's Honey and Tar Compound to my children. It cures their coughs and colds and they like to take it."

For sale by Dreier Drug Co.

WOMEN PLAN SELF-DENIAL.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Eight hundred and fifty women, all members of the Women's Trade Union league, are going to deny themselves all luxuries for the week of February 25 and give the value of these luxuries to a fund for a downtown rest room for working girls.

Samples of the self-denial declaration are: Mrs. Raymond Robbins will not eat eggs for breakfast and she is hoping the price will be 50 cents a dozen for that week; Miss Emma Steghagen, secretary, is not going to drink tea or coffee, and Miss Anderson, organizer of the league, will not eat butter. Of course no Trade Union leaguer will indulge in candy or the theater that week.

War on the Plains—Lyric, Feb. 23. 15-17

Good music at the Auburn Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings of this week. Everybody welcome. 14-4t

HILL IS WANTED BY STEEL PROBERS

JAMES J. HILL.
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James J. Hill is "wanted" by the Stanley committee to testify at its inquiry into the United States Steel Corporation, and, in consequence, process servers are swarming all his familiar Washington haunts.

Representative A. O. Stanley, chairman of the Steel Inquiry Committee, will not admit officially that Mr. Hill has been subpoenaed. Formerly witnesses were asked to come before the committee by letter, but Mr. Andrew Carnegie was subpoenaed.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, price 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

DOCTORS RUN THE VILLAGE.

Hold All the Important Offices—Exception is a Minister.

Oxford, Ohio, Feb. 15.—In the reorganization of the village and township government for the current year the doctors are playing an important part. Dr. D. D. Borger is president of the township board of education, and Dr. Walter S. Alexander occupies the same position in the village board of education. Dr. Alexander is also a member of the village council and is president of that body in the absence of Mayor King.

Dr. Harry H. Smith is president of the board of public affairs of the village. In the village school board Dr. Harvey R. Cook is a member, and the Rev. Dr. W. J. McSurely is the clerk. All of these men are physicians with the exception of Dr. McSurely, who is a Presbyterian minister.

The province of Quebec will sell no more of its water powers in perpetuity and has advertised for proposals for 99-year leases of ten large water powers in the province.

Oh, How I Itched!

What long nerve-racking days of constant torture—what sleepless nights of terrible agony—itch—itch—itch, constant itch, until it seemed that I must tear off my very skin—then—

Instant relief — my skin cooled, soothed and healed!

The very first drops of D.D.D. Prescription for Eczema stopped that awful itch instantly; yes, the very moment D.D.D. touched the burning skin the torture ceased. A 25c bottle proves it.

D.D.D. has been known for years as the only absolutely reliable eczema remedy, for it washes away the disease germs and leaves the skin as clear and healthy as that of a child.

All other druggists have D. D. D. Prescription—go to them if you can't come to us—but don't accept some big profit substitute.

But if you come to our store, we are so certain of what D.D.D. will do for you that we offer you a full size bottle on this guarantee:—if you do not find that it takes away the itch AT ONCE, it costs you not a cent.

For Sale by Dreier Drug Co.

LIQUOR HABIT CURED

IN FIVE DAYS

It is a known fact that persons addicted to the liquor habit shorten their lives; that the constant use of liquor will produce diseases and cause financial loss or failure.

This treatment is harmless and leaves no bad effects. No minerals or injections used.

Each patient is given a private room. Meals are served in the room of each patient. No one knows you have taken the treatment unless you tell.

We contract to effect a complete cure satisfactory to the patient or the fee paid shall be refunded on leaving the institution and the treatment costs nothing.

References—This paper.

Price $50.00 until March 1, 1912; then $75.00.

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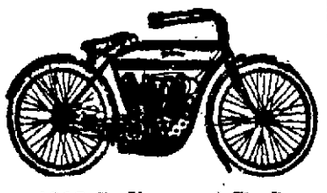


1912 Indian and R.-S. Best Motorcycles Made—The Riders Favorites.

4 H. P. Magneto and Free Engine Clutch $200
7 H. P. Magneto and Free Engine Clutch $250

These new Indian and R.-S. 1912 machines are presented as containing more value, dollar for dollar, than any other motorcycle manufactured. To insure prompt deliveries of motorcycles, orders should be placed now.

We also carry a full line of Bicycles and Tires.

Indiana Bicycle and Supply Co.

Everything for Motorcycle, Bicycle and the Rider.

Yes, we do repairing. Charges moderate. 111 West Washington Blvd., corner Calhoun St.

For Sale—A few good second-hand motorcycles cheap.

Owner Discharged When Court Learns of Canine's Taste.

New York, Feb. 15.—Mrs. Catherine Campbell, an agent of the New York Humane society, in the Yorkville police court, accused Oliver J. Rodgenstein, manager of a cigar store on Broadway, of making an English bulldog stand on his hind legs in the show window and attract the attention of passing throngs by holding a pipe in its mouth. She said that that was cruelty to animals.

"I don't think there is anything to that," said Magistrate Kernochan. "Holding a pipe in my mouth is a pleasure."

Rodgenstein told the magistrate that the dog was well cared for and when the pipe was taken away from him he barked and begged for it. Magistrate Kernochan dismissed the case.

There are nineteen women lawyers in France.

SHOP AND RAILROAD NEWS

TRAIN SMASHES FARMER'S RIG

Fast Express Hits Sled Loaded With Wood at Columbia City.

TEAM UNHITCHED AND DRIVEN TO SAFETY

When They Stall on the Crossing Planks—Shop News.

Rare presence of mind and prompt action prevented the death of a couple of horses at Columbia City at 4:50 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. At that hour the engine pulling westbound fast express train No. 19, over the Western division of the Pennsylvania, crashed into and demolished a sled on the crossing of one of the main streets of Columbia City and scattered the remnants and the wood with which the sled was loaded over the right-of-way for 200 or 300 feet. The sled belonged to a farmer, who was taking a load of wood into Columbia City to sell. When the runners struck the dry board of the crossing the team was unable to pull the load. At that instant the driver saw the train bearing down upon him and in the coolest manner possible jumped off the sled and quickly unhitched the horses and led them to a safe distance and then turned about to witness the destruction of his vehicle. It was complete.

IS AN AGENT NOW.

P. H. Malone Enters Employ of Benefit Society.

Engineer P. H. Malone, one of the men injured in the wreck of the Pennsylvania Special at Swinney park on the evening of August 13, has assumed charge of the business of the Railway Employes' Mutual Benefit society in Fort Wayne and has already taken up active work. Engineer J. Ard Swartz, of the Nickel Plate, is the grand deputy of the society for the state of Indiana and he has turned the Fort Wayne end of it over to Mr. Malone. The Railway Employes' Mutual Benefit society deals exclusively with the railway employes. For a small monthly or annual fee it protects the policy holder against financial loss through suspension or dismissal from service. It was organized about a year ago and has headquarters in Toledo. Charles F. LaFlaire, a B. & O. engineer residing in Garrett, who is one of the managers with jurisdiction over Indiana, Illinois and Iowa, was in the city yesterday on business with Mr. Swartz and Mr. Malone.

FORTY-TWO YEARS OLD.

Today Marks the Anniversary of Opening of Muncie Road.

Forty-two years ago today the "Muncie" road was completed and opened to business, giving rail facilities to a number of towns and hamlets that were without them before and also giving access to the best timbered districts in the middle states. The attention of the writer has been directed to the anniversary by Charles W. Buck, who was the first conductor on the "Muncie" road and who helped to build a part of it. The line is never referred to now as the "Muncie," being called the L. E. & W., but for twenty or more years after it was opened to traffic it was known by no other name.

IN HIS NEW OFFICE.

Foreman Daniel Petgen, of the Pennsylvania copper shop, moved into the new office in the southwest end of the big room on the second story of the building yesterday afternoon. The old office in the north end of the room has been vacated and the space it occupied will be taken up by the tinners after awhile. The entire tin department is to be located in the north end of the room soon and the south end, which is now occupied by the tinners, will be given over to the vise gang, of which F. C. Meyers is the foreman. Mr. Meyers will have desk room in the office with Mr. Petgen when the department is moved into the tank building. This will be some time later, possibly two or three months, for an elevator is to be installed and other changes made before this one can take place.

SUFFERING FROM FROST BITES.

James Hughes, night foreman at the Pennsylvania round house, is a victim of the unprecedented cold wave which swept over this part of the country two weeks ago. He had his feet frozen at that time, but the injury did not develop into anything serious until the weather began to moderate and then Mr. Hughes' feet became very painful and he is off duty now as a result. John Stanford is looking after the affairs of the round house at night during the absence of Mr. Hughes.

CONDUCTOR PLASTERER ON DUTY.

Conductor C. H. Plasterer, of the Pennsylvania, who had his back punctured by the sharp end of a crowbar when he fell from the Kankakee bridge and the bar followed him at the time of the wreck of a stock train there several weeks ago, has recovered and resumed his run on the road yesterday. Mr. Plasterer had a very narrow escape from death or more serious injury than he received.

SCHOOL STARTS FEB. 26.

The school of elementary electricity to be conducted under the auspices of the Electro-Technic club will begin Monday, Feb. 26, with about twenty students. Only members of the Electro-Technic club will be admitted as pupils, but there will be a big class before the close of the term. The committee of education of the club is composed of A. L. Hadlet, chairman; T. W. Behan and W. H. Crighton.

MORE NEW ENGINES.

Two more new passenger engines were delivered to the Wabash at Toledo this morning. No. 667, which will go into service on the Decatur division, and No. 668, which will run between Peru and Montpelier on the Peru division. The companion to the latter engine will be No. 669, which will arrive here in a day or two. This makes nine of the ten passenger locomotives that are coming to the Wabash on the present order.

NEW ENGINE DAMAGED.

Engine No. 662, one of the new passenger locomotives put into service last week on the Detroit division of the Wabash system, was "sideswiped" at Montpelier by a switch engine last night and one side of her cab was crushed in. The engine was also otherwise damaged and will be out of service a week or more. It was brought here for repairs today.

FOUND WEATHER VERY COLD.

John T. Leach, foreman of the Pennsylvania erecting shop, who is south for his health, writes under date of Charleston, S. C., that the weather was very cold when he reached that city. The thermometer registered zero and the ground was buried under six inches of snow, a condition the oldest inhabitant of Charleston never saw before. Mr. Leach has gone further south.

WILL GIVE PEDRO PARTY.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen will give a pedro party at the hall, 1026 Calhoun street, Friday afternoon, at which they will offer three prizes to the winners. The committee having the affair in charge is composed of Mrs. Viola Stone, Mrs. Ruth Stone and Mrs. Anna Patton.

"DICK" THOMPSON HERE.

Col. R. C. Thompson has been circulating among his Fort Wayne friends for a day or two. He is now engaged in selling land in the lower Rio Grande valley and has so far met with great success. Colonel Thompson has offices in Indianapolis.

ESTABLISHING BRANCH OFFICES.

To meet the growing demands of its business, the Ideal Auto company has established branch offices in Pennsylvania and Minnesota and is considering the advisability of establishing some other branches.

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

C. J. Lapp, Pennsylvania engineer, is off duty to look after some private business.

A. H. Luttman took employment at the Pennsylvania blacksmith shop this morning.

G. L. Sweeney, Pennsylvania fireman, is off duty on account of the sickness of a relative.

G. H. Korn resumed work in the Pennsylvania flue shop this morning. He had a thumb hurt some time ago.

W. Mooney has taken employment in the tin shop of the Pennsylvania, commencing work this morning.

Engineers Frank Rogers and W. W. Rogers and Fireman Hudson, of the Pennsylvania, are sick and off duty.

C. A. Doerssler, a Pennsylvania shop carpenter, has recovered from an illness which kept him from work a week.

Foreman C. F. Rippe resumed charge of the Pennsylvania pattern shop this morning. He had been sick a week.

President G. B. Hall, of the Ideal Auto company, has been in Cincinnati for a day or two on business for the company.

Jack Frain, Harry Tieman, F. H. Kuhne, John Reidel and O. A. Wyatt are new names on the Pennsylvania sick lists.

Muncie Star: "William H. Whittaker, of Fort Wayne, second trick operator Nickel Plate railroad, was in the city last evening."

Fred Bloemker, apprentice in the Pennsylvania machine shop, was the groomsman at a wedding this afternoon in which his cousin, William Bloemker, was the groom.

Foreman Frank Zollars resumed charge of the lathe room at the Pennsylvania machine shop this morning. He had been at Auburn attending the funeral of a relative.

J. W. Phillips, of Bryan, O., a telegraph operator in the employ of the Lake Shore road, is visiting with his brother, Ticket Agent A. R. Phillips, of the Lake Shore and Lake Erie at this place.

Fred C. Schultz, who was taken sick January 3, resumed his duties in the Pennsylvania blacksmith shop this morning. Jack Camperman, the boilermaker who had an eye injured a week ago, also resumed work this morning.

Passenger Engineer John Bechtol, who was sick three weeks, resumed work on the Pennsylvania this morning. Engineers A. P. Collier and D. H. Wilbert also reported for work today, after an absence on account of sickness of a week.

Chief Clerk H. A. Philley, of the Pennsylvania road foreman of engines office, went to Chicago this morning to spend a day with a relative who is soon to leave for Florida to spend the balance of the winter.

Homer E. Collins, a boilermaker employed on the night gang at the Wabash shops, who has been on the absent list for two weeks because of an injured hand, has resumed his work at the Wabash shops.

Albert Hormann, who has been employed at the Fort Wayne Electric works for the past five years, has resigned his position there. He will accept employment as shopman with the Hockemeier & Busching Supply company, of North Clinton street.

A. P. Richardson, assistant chief clerk at the Pennsylvania motive power office, is moving his family and household effects from Wellsville, their former home, to Fort Wayne. Mr. Richardson was recently transferred here to succeed P. F. Merritt, transferred to Toledo.

R. S. Gardner, who has been appointed United States inspector of appliances on railroads, is known to many railway men in this city. At one time he was secretary and treasurer of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. For ten years he was employed on the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern road.

Eugene Hoffman has taken employment in the office of Road Foreman of Engines A. L. Lopshire, of the G. R. & I. He will be assistant to Arthur G. Getz, who finds the work more than he can handle since the freight movement increased to nearly double its former proportions. Mr. Hoffman is a graduate of St. Mary's schools.

MOTOR BOAT SHOW IN NEW YORK HAS MANY UNIQUE FEATURES.

INTERIOR OF MADISON SQUARE GARDEN DURING THE MOTOR BOAT SHOW.

For the Motor Boat Show, which opens on February 17 in New York and continues eight days, the interior of Madison Square Garden will be attractively transformed.

As the show is one of boats, engines and their accessories everything in the Garden will be of a nautical character. One of the exhibits represents the Hudson River, with the tide flooding. On the river, heading north, will be the United States cruiser Salem, the torpedo boat destroyer Meade and the high speed boat Dixie IV. So well has the scenic artist painted these fast craft that they seem to be racing.

Perhaps the most attractive of all the exhibits at the show will be the hydroplanes, because these boats are to furnish the best of the coming season's sport. Great improvements have been made in this type of boat, and to be a winner a boat will have to make at least thirty-five miles an hour.

GIBSON BALKS AT A REQUEST

Artist Declines to Name Ten Most Handsome Women.

ALL ARE BEAUTIFUL

New York, Feb. 6.—"Name the ten most beautiful women in the world? Impossible! I haven't the courage. And I have seen some of the best, too. Women, however, are all beautiful.

"There is one woman I know to be truly beautiful, and whom I do not fear to name. Who is she? Why, Mrs. Charles Dana Gibson, of course."

So said Charles Dana Gibson, the artist, when asked to name the ten women he believed to be the most beautiful in the world.

"I dare not name the ten most beautiful," said Mr. Gibson. "It is beyond me to do such a thing. There are about 45,000,000 beautiful women in the world, and were I to select ten from that number and declare them to be the most beautiful, it would bring the remaining 44,999,990 down on me. Can you picture what a calamity that would be?"

And Mr. Gibson threw up his hands with an expression of horror.

You Meet Them Everywhere.

"As I said, all women are beautiful," he continued. "At least, they think they are. If you don't believe me, ask them. They will tell you they are. Of course their intimates in their particular social circle may not think so. They would probably have another story to tell. No, I could not name the ten most beautiful. I am a rank coward.

"Why, think of it! One of the ten may have been the woman who sat next to me in a horse car the other day, with a bundle wrapped in a newspaper in her lap. She was beautiful, there was no doubt about that. Her clothes may not have been, but she was.

"One of the ten may have been the little fur clad thing who sat opposite me in the subway the other night, squeezed between two stout men, who were trying to monopolize three seats. She looked really beautiful when she cast them a scornful glance and swept from the car at her station.

More Off Stage Than On.

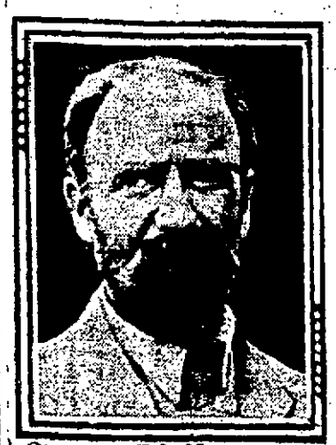
"You may see beautiful women any place you go. On the stage, at the theater, in the shops, in offices, in th chome in the tenements—everywhere. How could I hope to select ten women and name them as the most beautiful?"

"Do you think that most of the beautiful women are on the stage?" was asked.

"Great heavens," gasped the artist. "No! Quite the contrary. The percentage leans the other way. I have seen a far greater percentage of beautiful women off the stage than I have on.

"I don't want any one to think that I mean there are no beautiful women on the stage. There are many of them. But figuring percentages, there are more beautiful women among the general public than there are on the stage."

TRYING TO SUPPRESS MEXICAN OUTBREAKS



GENERAL F. I. MADERO.

Outbreaks by rebel bands continue in the southern part of Mexico, and President Madero is making every effort to suppress the trouble. In Durango, which is in the danger zone, conditions are reported to be more settled.

DOUBLY PROVEN

Fort Wayne Readers Can No Longer Doubt the Evidence.

This Fort Wayne citizen testified long ago.

Told of quick relief—of lasting benefit.

The facts are now confirmed.

Such testimony is complete—the evidence conclusive.

It forms convincing proof of merit.

Mrs. Mary Gerdes, 901 Archer St., Fort Wayne, Ind., says: "I was afflicted with kidney complaint for nine years and my condition was so poor that I could hardly attend to my housework. My back ached constantly and my back was so weak that I could not stoop. Being advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills, I got a box at Meyer Bros. Co.'s drug store and they proved to be just what I needed. In a few days the backache was relieved and before long I was restored to good health. I am always pleased to give Doan's Kidney Pills my endorsement." (Statement given December 4, 1908.)

CONFIRMED PROOF.

On June 30, 1910, Mrs. Gerdes said: "Since I publicly recommended Doan's Kidney Pills, I have had little or no trouble from my kidneys. I will always hold a high opinion of this remedy."

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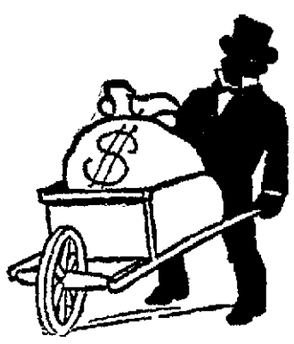
Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.



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Our interest charges are no more than any bank will ask and you can pay it back by the week or month to suit yourself.

Your furniture, piano or stock will do as security without depriving you of its use.

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I. O. B. B., NOTICE!

All members of Emek Beracke lodge, No. 61, I. O. B. B., are requested to meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the vestry room of the Temple to make arrangements for the funeral of our late brother, Alex Mergentheim.

EDMUND SEELBERG, President.
C. Young, Secy.

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1/2 PRICE

We have just added over one hundred Suits and Overcoats to our Half-Off assortment.

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Boys' Attempt to Make Own Way Nipped by Chill Winter.

NERVE FADES AWAY

Keene, N. H., Feb. 15.—Richard Forester, aged sixteen; John Henry Fechheimer, aged fifteen, and Eugene Jenkins, aged fourteen, who left their homes in New York City on January 8 and went to Chesham, N. H., to camp in a shack near the Merriinfield summer camp, declared that they have had enough of New England cold and were ready to return to their homes in New York when their parents came for them this afternoon

The boys said they did not like their home life and wanted to start out to work for themselves. With three suitcases and a grip, but little money, they reached Springfield, Mass., on the first night out. There they remained in the station, not having the means to go to a lodging house. On January 9 they went to Chesham. There they found the shack too cold to stay in, and entered Fred H. Howe's summer cottage, where they remained until Friday night when they were brought to this city by Deputy Sheriff Moore and finished their camping experience in the police station.

On a birchbark postcard found in one of the boys' pockets was the following inscription: "Camp Cannuck, January 14, 1912. Our war cry: We want money! We want money! We want money!"

At the cottage they were barely able to keep from freezing. Some mornings they said their feet and bodies were blue with cold.

Their food consisted mostly of canned goods and a few damp crackers. When asked if they ran away from home because they did not like New York, one replied: "I would consider it a pretty nice place if I was back there now."

The boys are none the worse for their experience and were happy when they started back home tonight.

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Reports received from Captain Charles de F. Chandler, in charge of the United States army aviation camp at Augusta, Ga., show the value of the aeroplane for scouting purposes. Observations and maps showing the topography of the country in the neighborhood of Augusta accompany the reports much of the material being obtained with the aid of the camera while in rapid flight above the earth. Several plates made at an altitude of 700 feet gave such good results that Brigadier General James Allen is encouraging the aviators to further experiments at greater altitude.

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GIVES BIG SPACE TO HIS WHISKERS

Peffer, Famous Populist, is Writing Memoirs at 80 Years Old.

WAS UNIQUE FIGURE

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 15—The announcement that William A. Peffer, former populist United States senator from Kansas, is writing his memoirs at the age of 80, has revived interest in the guileless but long-whiskered man who led the farmers to victory in Kansas in 1891, and became for six years the subject of the jokesmith and the cartoonist.

In his little room at 715 West Tenth street, here, the gray, thin old man is writing with the pen, to the tick of an alarm clock, the story of his life. Twenty years ago he was the most-talked-about person in the country, but for fifteen years he has been out of the public eye.

When Peffer was elected he had a phenomenal growth of whiskers, and his whiskers, to his party opponents, became the emblem of the populists. In his room he has thirty scrapbooks of 10,000 clippings testifying to the efficacy of whiskers as a press agent.

Slow, Tedious Smile.

Peffer today has the same slow, tedious smile that used to exasperate his opponents in the United States senate. He is less robust, his voice quavers sometimes and he appears thinner and taller. His beard is sparser now and is streaked with gray. He wears a skull cap and his patriarchal appearance, which was the target for flings and arrows in the United States senate, is accentuated.

"I am writing my memoirs," he said, "and I have just finished a chapter relating to my term in the senate. I have here a list of the bills and resolutions that I introduced and advocated. There is the bill providing for postal savings banks; the bill to inquire as to whether the government may take possession of coal beds; a resolution to investigate bond issues and sales; a bill to provide for the election of a president by direct vote; an amendment providing for woman's suffrage; a resolution to provide for a postal telegraph system; a bill to prevent unjust discrimination in freight rates; a bill to elect United States senators by a direct vote of the people; a bill for the initiative and referendum; a bill for the consolidation of the railroads; a bill to limit the office of president to one term."

Ahead of the Times.

From this statement it is inferred that he meant to recall the fact that most of these are progressive measures now; that several of them have been enacted into law, and that only the other day Postmaster General Hitchcock advocated postal telegraph lines.

Peffer told this story to illustrate how bitterly he was assailed when he was in the senate:

"There was a doorkeeper of the senate who somewhat resembled me, because he had a long beard, and one day when I came over from the house to the senate I saw him standing just outside the senate chamber. Two men were passing and I overheard one of them say, as he passed the doorkeeper, pointing his finger at him the while: 'There's that damn rascal that beat Ingalls.' The doorkeeper overheard it, too, and he was overcome with chagrin and humiliation to be taken for Peffer. The next morning he appeared at his post shaved clean; the obloquy of being mistaken for Peffer was more than he could bear."

Unconscious Candidate.

Peffer, the senator, was regarded as the soul of integrity. His political enemies conceded his character to be above reproach. He was unskilled in politics and his campaign for the senate was wholly unconscious. Peffer was editor of the Kansas Farmer here while the populist movement was taking form.

In the campaign which resulted in electing a legislature which sent him to the senate, Peffer, with no thought of the senate, visited 65 of the 105 counties in the state. He made a hundred speeches, helped to organize his party's campaign and wrote editorials for his paper wherever he happened to be. He knew nothing about the smart politicians who talked in whispers and elected senators behind locked doors. His memoirs will say of his election:

"My election to the United States senate created a great deal of excitement, not only in Kansas, but in all parts of the country. Mr. Ingalls, a gentleman of learning and refinement, a scholar and an orator of great force, who had represented Kansas in the senate eighteen years—to be defeated by a man without any of these accomplishments seemed incredible. And the newspapers treated it from A to Z. The situation was so uncommon, so unreasonable, that the cartoonists took it up and used my beard as an emblem of the populist party.

Whipped Into Line.

"The first day's meeting of the two houses of the legislature in joint convention made it clear that a large majority of the body favored my election, and the senators (republican) agreed among themselves after adjournment that they would not meet the next day with the house, and in that way would defeat my election. But it so happened that an eminent lawyer, a republican, too, and an honest man, was in the city, and learning of the senators' resolution, kindly brought me a book which treated of such cases and left it with me.

"I looked up the case which fitted our situation exactly, and wrote a letter to the editor of the Daily Capital, expecting he would insert a paragraph calling attention to the case, but he did better than that. He had the letter printed just as I wrote it. The senators attended like little men and answered as their names were called, and when the vote was read my majority was 38."

After he retired from the senate Peffer lived in Washington for many years. He conceived the idea of compiling an index to the Congressional Record. The senators liked the idea and he agreed to do the work for $5,000. He thought he could do it in two years. It took him seven years. He was asked to accept more than $5,000, but he wouldn't take it. "The job was worth a lot more than I got for it," he said the other day, "but $5,000 was all I was entitled to. That was the agreement I made and I would have carried it out if it had taken twenty years."

He told of the only attempt to bribe him while he was in the senate. He said a New York senator's clerk came to him about a railroad bill. There was a hint of $10,000 or $15,000, he said.

"I have never been able to decide yet whether I did right in not exposing that boy, but I concluded to let it go. I decided that he was subject to the orders of his employer, and that he had to do as he dictated, and that anything I might say about it probably would be misunderstood, anyway. That was the only time during my service in the senate that I was offered an outright bribe."

The beard that made Peffer famous has been growing since 1867. He was reared on a farm in a section of Tennessee where the farmers shaved themselves. One day he was shaving a little patch on each cheek with a dull razor and Mrs. Peffer suggested that he cut off his whiskers. There was a vote on the subject by his wife, his children and his mother. Beard lost.

He got the scissors and had cut off part of his whiskers when he noticed that his mother was crying. "She took on' so," he said, "that I promised her then and there that I would never cut off my beard as long as I lived. And I have kept that promise."

AGED NEWLYWED STRICKEN.

Relatives Dispute Over Will of Septuagenarian Ill on Honeymoon.

New York, Feb. 15.—Rival factions of relatives are closely watching the condition of Elijah Marshall Allen, a septuagenarian, who was stricken in New York when about to sail on his bridal tour, and now is in St. Vincent's hospital. His bride, who was Mattie Laura Walker, a 13-year-old actress, heads one faction, which includes the few of Allen's relatives who wished him well in his second marriage. Henry Cashing Haskins, of Glen Ridge, N. J., a nephew, about the same age as his uncle, is one of the latter. The other faction is headed by Mrs. A. E. Cook, whose husband is a scenic artist, and who is a daughter of Allen by his first wife, Elizabeth Akers Allen, author of "Rock Me to Sleep, Mother."

So keen is the feeling the factions do not speak, and they try not to meet at the hospital, so their turns for "watching" have been fixed up by mutual agreement. Haskins said after a visit to his uncle that anger over the recent marriage and anxiety over the probable beneficiaries of his will were back of all the trouble. Haskins said he was fully convinced his uncle could write his check for more than $1,000,000.

He said he went to the hospital to see the young wife's future was properly provided for, but wasn't allowed to see his uncle alone. Mrs. Cook went on watch early in the evening and remained until shortly before the scheduled arrival of the young wife at 9 o'clock the next morning. But before she left she took occasion to say she did not approve of her father's marriage to the youthful actress.

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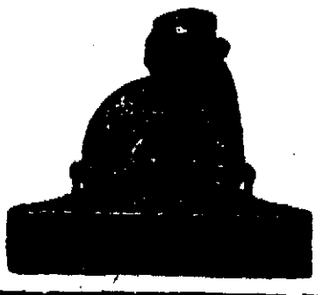

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With 327 of the fair sex fully commissioned by the governors of this state to administer oaths and register acknowledgements of signatures, the picture of the gray-haired old-time lawyer in his musty office with the great seal of the state mounted proudly beside the quill pen thrust in a large potato, is soon to be forgotten.

Indianapolis is alive with feminine notaries public. They are mechanical conveniences without which many a modern lawyer would not think of practicing his profession. When the attorney of today wants the services of a notary, he merely twirls in his swivel chair and yawningly ejaculates:

"I say, Miss Poundthekeys, bring your seal here just a minute, will you? Then we'll have lunch."

So the fair typist produces a chunky little instrument from the drawer of her desk, and with a simple twist of the wrist after the formality of confirming the signature, attaches the majestic seal of Indiana to the paper.

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"How do we know whether some lone widow is being robbed of her dower by some document the contents of which we do not even know?" said one. "No doubt some very romantic things pass under our very noses, but all we look at is the signature and the attesting and administer the oath so that the person signing may be stuck for perjury if he is making any misstatements. But that's as far as we can go and we are never called on to investigate the contents of documents. Oh, this notarial life is a very prosaic side line to pounding the typewriter, I would say."

But even at that the compensation comes, for just think how important it must make a girl feel to see her name in embossed letters stamped on the most dignified looking documents. When she sets the seal down hard it makes its impression on the last will and testament of the millionaire, or upon the transfer of a Broad Ripple town lot to satisfy an unpaid grocery bill.

Alt Heidelberg for dinner.

Feb. 9-10-13-15-17

Since 1900 the price of bread has risen 11 per cent. in Germany, the price of beef 13 per cent. and pork 33 per cent. In Essen, by the figures of the Krupp Co-operative society, since 1900 the price of black bread has risen 30 per cent.; potatoes, 30 per cent.; veal, 34 per cent., and bacon, 30 per cent.

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SOME GOOD PLACES

Washington, Feb. 15.—A year or so ago Attorney General Bingham, of Indiana, had occasion to appear in Washington in connection with the enforcement of Indiana food laws. He made a discovery that impressed him. The chief chemist of the agricultural department before whom he had to appear at one stage of the proceedings turned out to be an Indiana man, Dr. Harvey W. Wiley. Later he had to apply to the supreme court of the district for an order and discovered that the judge who issued the order compelling the testimony was an Indiana man, Judge Job Barnard, one time a citizen of Lake county, Indiana. Furthermore, before the hearing was over, Mr. Bingham was surprised to find that the attorney representing the government in the case was Stanton Peelle, jr., formerly of Indianapolis. The attorney general of Indiana naturally inquired if Indiana men were the rule in Washington officeholding.

No state is more largely represented in important government offices than the state of Indiana. At the head of the court of claims as chief justice is Stanton J. Peelle, one time a practicing lawyer in Indianapolis, earlier in a career a citizen of Winchester. Willis J. Fowler, formerly of Fort Wayne, is deputy controller of the currency; Joseph A. Arnold, formerly of Columbus, is chief editor of the department of the treasury, and as such officer is the final arbiter of all accounts against the government. His decision is reviewable only by the courts. His deputy, L. P. Mitchell, is a former citizen of Newcastle, and one of the law clerks of the office is Lurton R. Ginn, of Henry county. At one time, but recently, Indiana had two men in office as auditors of the treasury—A. L. Lawshe, of Converse, and the late B. F. Harper, of Fort Wayne—and two men as deputy auditors—N. L. Chew, of Noblesville, and Charles McGonagle, of Muncie.

Barton W. Everman, of Terre Haute, is assistant commissioner of fish and fisheries and a member of an important international commission. James A. Sample, of South Bend, whose wife was a daughter of the late John Defrees, of Indianapolis, one time public printer, is cashier of the United States treasury. The sergeant-at-arms of both the senate and house of representatives are Indiana men—Col. Daniel Ransdell, of the senate, and Stokes Jackson, of the house. The former is from Indianapolis and the latter from Greenfield.

The records of the Indiana society in Washington show that there are more than a thousand former citizens of Indiana resident in Washington.

FIRST LA GRIPPE. THEN BRONCHITIS.

Such was the case with Mrs. W. S. Bailey, McCreary, Ky., "My wife was taken down with a severe attack of la grippe, which run into bronchitis. She coughed as tho' she had consumption and could not sleep at night. The doctor's medicine gave her no relief and I was advised to try Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. The first bottle gave her so much relief that she continued using it and three bottles effected a permanent cure." Mr. W. S. Bailey says he is prepared to answer all inquiries promptly.

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Flint, Mich., Feb. 15.—When the coffin containing the body of Charles H. Johnson, the oldest attorney in the Genesee county bar, was lowered into the grave here there accompanied it a [illegible] of his child buried thirty years ago.

At the time of the child's death Flint and Genesee county were terrorized by grave robbers. The parents feared to place it in the cemetery and the coffin was stored in the [illegible] home. An agreement was made at the time that when one of the parents died the other should have the [illegible] with that of the father or mother.

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Mix together in a large bottle a half pint of whisky, two ounces of glycerine and half an ounce of virgin oil of pine. Shake well and take a teaspoonful every four hours.

Your cold, however severe, will disappear in less than a day. Chronic catarrh will yield promptly to this simple treatment. Rheumatism, leukorrhoea and inflammation of the urinary passages find permanent cure, and the misery of backache and grippe is speedily relieved by the use of this medicine.

The ingredients may be secured at any drug store, but the utmost care should be taken to provide against substitution of some other article of similar name for the pure virgin oil of pine. The only absolutely genuine article is sold in sealed half-ounce packages bearing the name of the Leach Chemical Company, of Cincinnati, Ohio, which is your guarantee of purity and freshness.

"LIFER" IS PAROLED.

Crime Was Parricide—Had Served 22 Years in Lansing.

Leavenworth, Kan., Feb. 15.—Charles Burnsides, forty-three years old, who has spent more years in the Lansing penitentiary than any other convict, has received the governor's parole. He left at once for Ellsworth, Kan., where he will live on a farm with his mother.

Burnsides was sentenced to be hanged at Topeka in 1899 for killing his father. He was taken to Lansing pending the governor's signing the execution mandate. The paper never was signed and he was considered a "lifer."

The ex-convict's father and mother separated. The father, with young Burnsides, went to Topeka, where he married a mulatto girl. The boy fell in love with his stepmother and one morning dropped arsenic in his father's coffee. His mother still lives on the farm where his father left her.

NEWBRO'S HERPICIDE

Saves Worry, Saves Money, Saves the Hair.

If you want to free your head of dandruff and stop falling hair, you must sooner or later resort to Newbro's Herpicide.

By using Herpicide first you save yourself worry, which is desirable, you save money, which is a consideration, and you save your hair, which is the most important of all.

Why not profit by the experience of Mrs. S. A. Lee, of 110 South 4th St., Richmond, Va., who writes:

"Four years' residence in India ruined my hair until it was but two inches long and very thin. I tried everything in Europe and America without benefit until I was induced to use Herpicide. My hair is now long, soft and silky and natural color, while before it was quite gray. My friends never tire of admiring my hair."

Mrs. Lee's story is a typical history of hair troubles. After everything else fails Newbro's Herpicide brings relief. It would be just as effective if used first.

Newbro's Herpicide kills the dandruff germ and prevents falling hair. It stops itching of the scalp almost instantly. No matter what the claims of others, Herpicide is the only genuine original dandruff germ destroyer.

One dollar size bottles guaranteed.

Sold by all druggists. Applications at good barber shops.

Send 10c for sample bottle to The Herpicide Co., Dept. R., Detroit, Mich.

Bradley Bros., 627 Calhoun. Special Agents.

THE BOSTON STORE

After inventory we found a few broken lots that we want to close out and to do so we have made some very low reductions.

Yard wide Percale at 8⅓ a yard; worth 11c.
Flannelettes, 10c quality, at 5c a yd.
Cotton Challie, dandy for comforters, at 4c a yard.
Unbleached and Light Outing at 4c a yard.
Apron Gingham, good quality, 5c a yard.
Knit Underskirts at 19c; worth 25c.
Cotton Twilled Toweling at 4c a yd.
Linen Toweling at 5c a yard; worth 6½c.
Bleached Toweling at 8⅓c a yard; worth 10c.
Large size Bed Spreads (hemmed) at 85c; worth $1.00.
Hemmed Bed Spreads, extra quality, for $1.00; worth $1.25.
Fringed Bed Spreads (cut corners), at $1.25; worth $1.50.
9-4 Unbleached Sheeting at 16c a yard; worth 20c.
Bleached Bed Sheets, full size, at 39c; worth 50c.
Bleached Bed Sheets, 81x90, seamless, at 55c; worth 75c.
Pillow Cases, 45x36, at 8⅓c each; worth 10c.
Yard-wide Unbleached Muslin, 5c a yard; worth 6c.
Yard-wide Bleached Muslin at 6¼c a yard; worth 7½c.
Ruffled Muslin Curtains at 22c a pair
60-in. White or Ecru Lace Curtains at $1.00 a pair; worth $1.25.
30x60 Smyrna Rugs, regular $1.25 quality, for 89c.
Bed Pillows at 43c; worth 59c.
10-4 Cotton Blankets at 50c a pair; worth 60c.
10-4 Heavy Fleeced Blankets at 70c a pair; worth 80c.
Grey Cotton Blankets at 45c a pair to close out.
Dark Bed Comforters at 85c and $1.00 each.
Ladies' Short Kimonos at 39c; worth 50c.
Ladies' Heavy Fleeced Long Kimonos at 85c; worth $1.25.
Men's Sweatercoats at 50c; worth 75c
Men's Sweatercoats at $1.00; worth $1.50.
Children's Tam O'Shanters at 29c; worth 50c.
Ladies' Fleece Lined Underwear at 21c, 30c and 42c.
Ladies' Fleece Lined Union Suits at 42c, 75c, 85c and $1.15.
Men's Fleece Lined Underwear at 42c and 65c.
Men's Fleece Union Suits at 75c and 85c a suit.
All Wool Underwear at special reduced prices.

We are always ready to help you save some money.

WM. HAHN & CO.

$200,000 FOR HIS HAMLET.

Boy's Recitation of Soliloquy Made Him His Uncle's Heir.

Boston, Feb. 15.—Robert Smith, a Boston fish peddler, when a schoolboy in Dublin, Ireland, thirty years ago, committed Hamlet's soliloquy to memory and recited it for his uncle, who told the lad he would remember him in his will. The uncle died a few days ago and word received by Smith today tells he is heir to a $200,000 estate.

Then Smith dumped his fish cart over the edge of the "T" wharf and announced that he would leave on the first train for San Francisco whence he will take ship to Australia, where his sister resides. He will share his legacy with her.

HOW COLD AFFECTS THE KIDNEYS.

Avoid taking cold if your kidneys are sensitive. Cold congests the kidneys, throws too much work upon them, and weakens their action. Serious kidney trouble and even Bright's disease may result. Strengthen your kidneys, get rid of the pain and soreness, build them up by the timely use of Foley Kidney Pills. They will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. Dreier Drug Co.

PARADISE FOR HUNTERS.

Year's Kill of Deer in Wisconsin Foots up 7,535.

Madison, Wis., Feb. 15.—The annual report of State Game and Fish Warden Sholts shows that 125,000 hunting licenses were issued in 1911 and it is estimated each license holder killed game to the value of $2.

One hundred and five licenses for catching fish from outlaying water were issued. Over 265 persons have fished in inland waters in the state during the year.

The total number of deer killed is estimated at 7,535.

GOOD THERMOMETERS

AS a matter of fact good thermometers, like good dogs, don't disagree—but the bad ones do. Recently all thermometers have agreed as to its being very cold, but have disagreed as to just how cold it was. If you're swapping weather yarns you should be sure you are right. We have thermometers to swear by.

The H. Pfeiffer & Son Co.

107-109 E. Columbia St

I Am Willing To Prove I Can Cure You

To That End I Am Giving Away $10,000 Worth of Medicine

In order to show beyond all doubt that I am in possession of a medicine that will cure kidney trouble, bladder trouble or rheumatism, I will this year give away ten thousand dollars' worth of this medicine, and anyone suffering from these diseases can get a box of it absolutely free. All that is necessary is to send me your address.

I don't mean that you are to use a part of it or all of it and pay me if cured. I mean that I will send you a box of this medicine absolutely free of charge, a gift from me to the Uric Acid sufferers of the world, so I can show them where and how they may be cured. I will not expect payment for this free medicine, nor would I accept it now or later if you sent it. It is free in the real meaning of the word.

For twenty-five years—a quarter of a century—I have been trying to convince the public that I have something genuine, something better than others have for the cure of stubborn, chronic rheumatism, for torturing kidney backache, for annoying calls to urinate. But it is hard to convince people—they try a few things unsuccessfully and give up all hope and refuse to listen to anyone thereafter. Happily, I am in a position now to demonstrate to sufferers at my own expense that I have a medicine that cures these diseases. I don't ask them to spend any money to find out; I don't ask them to believe me, nor even to take the word of reliable people, but all I ask is that they allow me to send them the medicine at my own cost. That is surely fair.

To this end I have set aside ten thousand dollars, which will be used to compound my medicine. Much of it is ready now to be sent out, all of it fresh and standard. There will be enough for all sufferers, though there be thousands of them. And anyone who needs it can get some of it free. But in order that I shall know that you have a disease for which this medicine is intended, I ask you to send me some of your leading symptoms. If you have any of the symptoms in the list printed here you need my medicine and if you will write me I will gladly send you a box of it free with full directions for your use. Look the symptoms over, see which symptoms you have, then write me about as follows: "Dear Dr., I notice symptoms number"—here put down the numbers, give your age, full address, and send it to me. My address is Dr. T. Frank Lynott, 5042 Occidental Bldg., Chicago, Ill.

The ten thousand dollars I am spending for the compounding of my medicine is only a part of the money I am devoting to this cause, for the package of medicine I send you will be fully prepaid at my expense. From any standpoint you view it, YOU incur no expense or obligation. Just tell others who you know are suffering who sent you the medicine that cured you.

I am promising to give away ten thousand dollars' worth of medicine, and I will do that. I am promising to send any sufferer who writes me a box of this medicine and full directions free of charge, and I will do that.

DR. T. FRANK LYNOTT
who is giving away $10,000 worth of medicine.

I can say further that this medicine has been vouched for according to law as complying in every detail with all requirements. It will stop rheumatism, it will stop pain and backache, it will stop too frequent desire to urinate; it will heal, soothe and strengthen. You will be better in every way for having taken it. There is not an ingredient that can injure; not one but will benefit. All that I ask is that you use it yourself so that you may be personally convinced.

Owing to the large number of requests, I have had ten thousand more copies of my medical book printed. This book is new and up to date and contains complete descriptions, symptoms, causes, effects and cures of kidney, bladder and rheumatic diseases. All who write for the free medicine will be sent a copy of this grand illustrated medical book—the largest ever written on these diseases for free and general distribution.

If you need medicine such as I have, if you are anxious to be cured and don't want to spend any money LOOKING for cures, write me. Read the symptoms over and let me hear from you today.

These Are the Symptoms:

1—Pain in the back.
2—Too frequent desire to urinate.
3—Burning or obstruction of urine.
4—Pain or soreness in the bladder.
5—Prostatic trouble.
6—Gas or pain in the stomach.
7—General debility, weakness, dizziness
8—Pain or soreness under right rib.
9—Swelling in any part of the body.
10—Constipation or liver trouble.
11—Palpitation or pain under the heart.
12—Pain in the hip joint.
13—Pain in the neck or head.
14—Pain or soreness in the kidneys.
15—Pain or swelling of the joints.
16—Pain or swelling of the muscles.
17—Pain and soreness in nerves.
18—Acute or chronic rheumatism.

The Fort Wayne-Auburn Auto Company

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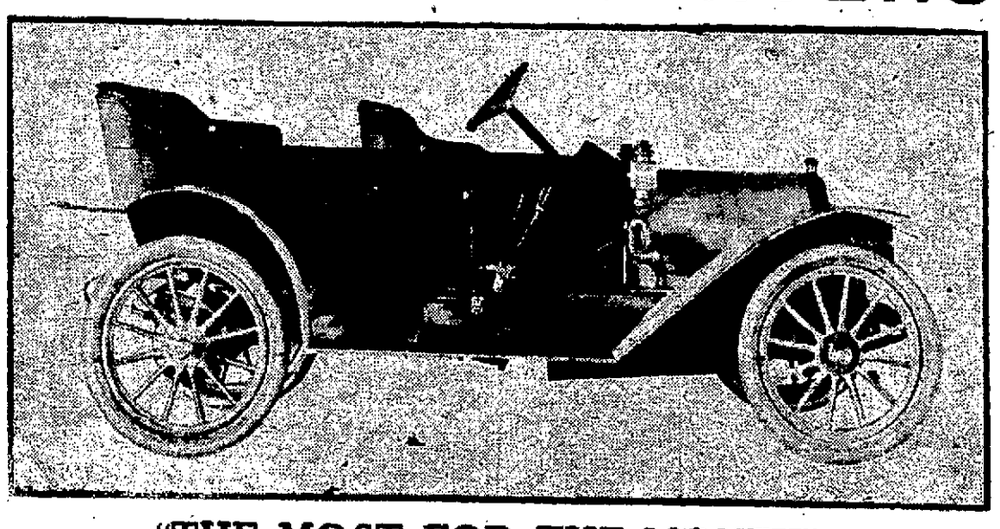
NEW HEADQUARTERS



"THE MOST FOR THE MONEY"

Formal Opening of Fort Wayne-Auburn Auto Co. New Home, 124-130 Washington Blvd., West

You Are Cordially Invited to Inspect Our New Home Tonight, Friday and Saturday Nights—The Most Up-to-Date Equipped Garage in Northern Indiana.

"AUBURN TRUTHS"

A car you can depend on every day and every minute and one sold by a factory branch which has your interest at heart as long as you own an AUBURN.

Note the beautiful lines—splendid finish—nickel trimmings—powerful Rutenber motor—complete equipment—then let us show you how easy it rides over rough roads—how it will climb any hill—how sturdily it is built.

Every dealer is prejudiced in favor of his own car and you may not believe him when he tells you that his car is better than any other at twice the price, but the Auburn speaks for itself.

FORT WAYNE-AUBURN AUTO CO. 124-130 Washington Blvd., West.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

The common council of the city of Fort Wayne met in the council chamber Tuesday evening, Feb. 13, A. D. 1912, in regular session. President Louis S. C. Schroeder in the chair, and William T. Jefferies, clerk, at the desk, and present the following members, 14, viz:

Bauer, Braun, Dittoe, Felger, Haller, Hamilton, Inder, Pfleger, Rogge, Sarver, Schroeder, Van Sweringen, Wagner, Welch.

Absent, 1, viz: Councilman Pfleiger.

The minutes of the last regular session having been delivered to the council, were, on motion, approved as published.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE MAYOR.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Jan. 27, 1912.

Honorable Common Council, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Gentlemen: I desire to inform you that I have approved the following ordinances passed at your last regular session of January 23, 1912:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 465.

An ordinance appropriating two thousand seven hundred six dollars and fifty-three cents ($2,706.53) to "parks" account.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 526.

An ordinance authorizing the alienation of certain personal property of the fire department and ordering an appraisement of same.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 527.

An ordinance districting all the territory within the corporate limits of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, into park districts, to be known as Northeast Park district, Northwest Park district, Southwest Park district and Southeast Park district, defining and describing the boundaries thereof and designating the same by names.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 528.

An ordinance fixing the compensation of certain employes of the waterworks department and authorizing the payment of the same by the board of public works.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 529.

An ordinance approving and ratifying a certain contract entered into by and between the city of Fort Wayne, by and through its city controller, and the Fort Wayne Printing company for the printing and binding of the revision of the city ordinances.

Respectfully yours,
JESSE GRICE, Mayor.

Received and spread on record.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE MAYOR.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 7, 1912.

Honorable Common Council.

Gentlemen: I desire to inform you that I have appointed Mr. Louis Fox and Mr. Louis Horn as members of the park board, made necessary by the expiration of Mr. Joseph Singmaster's term and the resignation of Mr. Ferdinand Meier.

Respectfully yours,
JESSE GRICE, Mayor.

Received and spread on record and appointments concurred in.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 12, 1912.

To the Honorable Common Council.

Gentlemen: We are sending you herewith a communication submitted by the undersigned to the Pennsylvania Railroad company relative to the track elevation west of Calhoun street, which is self-explanatory.

Yours respectfully,
BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.
H. W. BECKER, Clerk.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 10, 1912.

W. W. Wardrop, Supt., Pennsylvania Company, City.

Dear Sir: Recently there was filed with the city, by the citizens' committee, certain recommendations or findings relative to the elevation of the tracks of your company. Now, for the purpose of having the work finished west of Calhoun street, during the coming year, the city desires to submit for your consideration the following proposition:

First. In accordance with the recommendations or findings of the aforesaid committee, and the request of your company on file in this office, the city will grant your company the additional track rights requested at Calhoun street, Fairfield avenue, Broadway, Union and College streets.

(a) The city will vacate Chicago, Webster, McClellan streets and the alley between Baker and Chicago streets, as shown by your plan, filed with your request for said vacations.

The city will require:

First. That your company give the city street rights at Harrison street to connect with those already secured from the Wabash company, so as to make said street continuous.

(a) That your company, during the year 1912, elevate your tracks at Union and College streets, and at Harrison street not later than 1913, and at the time the Wabash company elevates its tracks at that point, in accordance with its agreement on file with the city.

(b) That your company build its passenger station on Baker street, according to the plans heretofore submitted to the city; said building to be commenced not later than April 1, 1912.

(c) That your company agree not to build across Clinton street before January 1, 1915, it being understood that said agreement shall not constitute a waiver of any of the rights of the city at said Clinton street, or as an abridgment or bar of the right of said city to continue its proceeding and litigation for the opening of said street across your right of way.

(d) That your company also co-operate with the city in the elevation of the tracks east of Calhoun street, whenever appropriate legal action is taken by the city.

(e) That your company, as heretofore agreed, release the city from the payment of $2,000.00, which the city in a certain contract in 1909 agreed to pay for additional width at Calhoun street and Broadway.

(f) That your company do the incidental things in connection with the work west of Calhoun street, such as the widening of Baker street, etc., all as tentatively agreed upon by the city and your company in past negotiations.

That the position of the city may be definitely understood, we wish to advise you that it is intended, whether this proposition is accepted or not, to do the following things:

First. To adopt without delay a resolution for the elevation of your tracks at Walton avenue, providing for the doing of the work during the years 1912 or 1913; also a resolution extending Garden street over your right of way, and to later adopt an assessment roll for the opening of said street, showing the benefits and damages, equal.

(a) That the city will continue the proceedings for the elevation of the tracks at College and Union streets.

Respectfully yours,
THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE.
By FRANK T. BENOY,
G. A. SCHWEGMAN,
E. J. LENNON,
Its Board of Public Works.

Attest: H. W. BECKER, Clerk.

Received and spread on record.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 13, 1912.

To the Honorable Common Council.

Gentlemen: We herewith submit to you for approval plans and estimates approved for the elevation of the tracks of the Wabash railroad at Fairfield avenue.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANK T. BENOY,
G. A. SCHWEGMAN,
E. J. LENNON,
Board of Public Works.

Received and spread on record.

CITY'S ESTIMATE OF THE COST OF GRADE SEPARATION AT FAIRFIELD AVENUE AND WABASH RAILROAD.

4,881 cubit yards of street excavation at $0.65	$ 3,172 65
156 cubic yards of wall excavation, at $0.75	117 00
123 cubic yards of concrete in place, at $6.00	738 00
1,840 square yards of street paving at $2.25	4,140 00
7,358 square feet of sidewalk paving at $0.14	1,029 84
830 lineal feet of 5 in. by 30 in. Berea standstone curbing, to be furnished and set, at $0.80	664 00
52 lineal feet No. 1 white oak heading plank, at $0.20	10 40
Changes in water mains and services	200 00
Changes in sewers and house connections	650 00
80 lineal feet 12-in. pipe for catch-basin connections, at $1.00	80 00
4 No. 2 catchbasins, inclusive iron covers, to be constructed and connections made with main sewer	180 00
1 old manhole remodeled, at $5	5 00
1 new manhole to be constructed at $30.00	30 00
Engineering and contingencies	1,000 00
Total	$12,010 89

WABASH RAILROAD ESTIMATE OF THE COST OF GRADE SEPARATION AT FAIRFIELD AVENUE AND WABASH RAILROAD AT FORT WAYNE, IND.

Temporary bridge, 500 lineal ft., at $10.00	$ 5,000 00
Excavation for abutments, piers, and retaining walls, 1,350 c. y., at $1.00	1,350 00
Reinforced concrete piers and slabs, 832.25 c. y., at $10.00	8,312 50
Plain concrete abutments and retaining walls, 902.5 c. y., at $8.00	7,220 00
Corrugated bars, piers and slabs, 110,610 ft. at $0.03	3,316 33
Waterproofing slabs, abutments retaining walls, 137.5 sqs., at $1.75	240 63
Backfilling, 302.5 c. y., at 50c	121 25
Drain pipes	300 00
Railing on bridge	200 00
Engineering	1,017 85
Contingencies	2,849 61
Total	$30,300 00

Submitted on Aug. 28, 1911, to the board of public works of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by A. O. Cunningham, chief engineer of the Wabash Railroad company.

Received and spread on record.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE MAYOR AND ANNUAL REPORT OF CITY CONTROLLER.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 13, 1912.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council, City:

Gentlemen: I am sending you herewith the report of the City Controller for the year 1911, setting forth in detail the various accounts of the city government.

The receipts from taxes for general fund purposes show a considerable increase over the receipts for the previous year, due entirely to the fact that included in this amount there was collected by the special tax levy of 4½c for River Bank Improvement Fund, $14,882.94.

Eliminating this amount from the total receipts would leave a balance of tax collections available for general appropriation purposes of $294,171.25, an increase of $11,934.61, which amount represents the average increase from year to year.

Yours truly,
W. S. CUTSHALL,
Controller.

RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS AND BALANCES.

GENERAL FUND.

Cash on hand January 1, 1911 ..... $124,472.51

RECEIPTS.

Taxes	$309,054.19	
Liquor licenses	52,060.00	
Plumbers' licenses	205.00	
Auctioneer licenses	170.00	
Billiard and Pool licenses	1,300.00	
Milk licenses	390.00	
Peddlers' licenses	658.00	
Second-hand Dealers' license	75.00	
Sewer Builders' licenses	60.00	
Meat Dealers' licenses	1,940.37	
Exhibition licenses	1,279.50	
Pawnbrokers' licenses	600.00	
House Movers' licenses	30.00	
Pole license	1,176.00	
Interest City funds	8,893.15	
City docket fees	2,721.00	
City scale receipts	1,822.50	
Market receipts	3,598.90	
Building permits	1,466.49	
Plumbing permits	521.00	
Sewer permits	522.50	
Dog tax	.85	
Miscellaneous receipts	5,103.33	
Controller's fees	498.00	
Gas meter inspection	900.00	
		$395,085.58
Total balance and receipts		$519,558.09
Transferred from Special Funds (Market House)		638.35
		$520,396.44
Less transferred to Special Funds (Park Fund)		3,290.67
		$517,105.77

SPECIAL FUNDS.

Cash on hand January 1, 1911 ..... $207,347.33

RECEIPTS FROM TAXES.

Sinking fund	$ 17,510.14	
Firemen's pension fund	3,502.04	
Policemen's pension fund	3,502.04	
Monument fund	875.51	
Electric light plant fund	26,265.24	
Track elevation fund	17,510.14	
		$ 69,165.11

SINKING FUND.

Improvement bonds matured	$ 7,913.33	
Improvement bonds, interest	1,836.15	
		$ 9,250.08
Street special		2,503.83
Total balance and receipts, Special funds		$288,266.35
Transferred from General fund (Park fund)		3,290.67
		$291,557.02
Less transferred to General fund (Market House fund.)		638.35

SECURITIES TO CREDIT OF SPECIAL FUNDS.

Improvement bonds to credit of Sinking fund	20,808.15

SUMMARY.

General fund, total balance and receipts	$517,105.77
Special funds, total balance and receipts	290,918.67
Securities to credit of Sinking fund	20,808.15
Total of all funds and securities held	$828,832.59

WARRANTS ISSUED.

General accounts as per schedule below	$371,412.68	
Special accounts as per schedule below	93,417.39	
Total		$464,830.07
Balance cash and securities held		364,002.52

Above balance stands to credit of various accounts as follows:

General appropriation account	$145,693.09
Sinking fund cash	$111,696.04
Sinking fund, Improvement bonds	20,808.15
	$132,504.19
Fort Wayne & Southwestern Traction Co. Emergency fund	150.00
Street special	452.35
Monument fund	10,037.00
Electric light plant fund	6,028.94
Lewis street pavement guarantee fund	520.30
Track elevation fund	65,325.98
Parks	3,290.67
Total	$364,002.52

TREASURER'S BALANCE.

Cash and securities held as shown above	$364,002.52
Warrants unredeemed	8,808.06
Total	$372,810.57
Less improvement bonds held to credit of Sinking fund	20,808.15
Cash balance December 31, 1911	$352,002.42

WARRANT ACCOUNT.

Warrants unredeemed January 1, 1911	$ 10,834.30
Warrants issued during year	464,830.07
Total warrants afloat during year	$475,664.37
Warrants redeemed during year	466,856.32
Warrants unredeemed December 31, 1911	$ 8,808.06

APPROPRIATIONS, DISBURSEMENTS AND BALANCES.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

	Appr.	Disbur.	Balance.
Salary, officers and clerks	$ 34,180.00	$ 34,070.36	109.64
Incidentals, Dept. of finance	370.00	946.91	23.09
Interest on Bonded debt	23,013.00	23,013.00	.....
Miscellaneous claims	1,416.00	1,416.00	.....
Lavatory maintenance	1,500.00	.....	1,500.00
Incidentals, City Sealer	350.00	270.78	79.22
Total	$ 61,429.00	$ 59,717.05	$ 1,711.95

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

Incidentals	$ 400.00	$ 339.56	$ 60.00

MUNICIPAL COURT.

Incidentals	$ 250.00	$ 175.04	$ 74.96

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Advertising and printing	$ 3,200.00	$ 3,188.75	$ 11.25
Blank books and stationery	200.00	195.30	4.70
City Hall	4,034.00	3,329.99	704.01
City Civil Engineer, office expense	2,505.00	2,430.41	74.59
Garbage disposal	15,420.00	14,485.60	934.40
Furniture and fixtures	150.00	149.65	.35
Street lights	31,800.00	31,188.27	611.73
Street cleaning	20,000.00	19,936.40	63.60
Bridges	3,500.00	2,412.62	1,087.38
Public grounds and buildings	2,000.00	1,999.63	.37
Sewer repairs	8,600.00	8,247.05	352.95
Maintenance and repair of streets	16,900.00	16,893.32	6.68
New streets	25,643.83	25,643.83	.....
Incidentals	200.00	158.21	41.79
Insurance	200.00	137.04	62.96
Drinking fountains	100.00	95.68	4.32
Gas meter inspection	900.00	900.00	.....
Lakeside dike repairs	914.83	.....	914.83
Total	$136,267.66	$131,391.75	$ 4,875.91

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Fire force pay rolls	$ 72,646.00	$ 72,592.40	$ 53.60
Fire force account	15,710.00	15,706.25	3.75
Police force pay roll	49,930.00	49,595.68	334.32
Police station account	3,950.00	3,949.78	.22
Market house maintenance	1,326.10	1,161.32	164.78
Weighmaster's salary and incidentals	820.00	783.20	36.80
Foundmaster's salary	144.00	144.00	.....
Total	$144,526.10	$143,932.63	$ 593.47

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Parks expense	$ 32,715.41	$ 29,424.74	$ 3,290.67

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

Contagious diseases, prevention	$ 1,600.00	$ 1,469.98	$ 130.02
Incidentals	200.00	198.93	1.07
Sanitary police, salary	2,460.00	2,460.00	.....
Meat and dairy inspector's salary	2,340.00	2,280.00	60.00
Weed cutting	50.00	23.00	27.00
Total	$ 6,650.00	$ 6,431.91	$ 218.09

SPECIAL ACCOUNTS.

Fort Wayne and Southwestern Traction Company Emergency fund	$ 150.00	.....	$ 150.00
Street special	2,899.29	$ 2,446.94	452.35
Sinking fund, cash	111,696.04	.....	111,696.04
Sinking fund, improvement bonds	20,808.15	.....	20,808.15
Firemen's pension fund	3,502.04	3,502.04	.....
Policemen's pension fund	3,502.04	3,502.04	.....
Monument fund	10,037.00	.....	10,037.00
Electric light plant fund	54,926.24	48,897.30	6,028.94
Lewis street pavement guarantee fund	520.30	.....	520.30
Track elevation fund	99,618.23	34,292.25	65,325.98
Market house fund	1,311.50	672.15	638.35
Alcatraz street pavement guarantee fund	103.67	103.67	.....
Total	$309,074.50	$ 93,417.39	$215,657.11

SUMMARY.

Department of finance	$ 61,429.00	$ 59,717.05	$ 1,711.95
Department of law	400.00	339.56	60.44
Municipal court	250.00	175.04	74.96
Department of public works	136,267.66	131,391.75	4,875.91
Department of public safety	144,526.10	143,932.63	593.47
Department of public parks	32,715.41	29,424.74	3,290.67
Department of public health	6,650.00	6,431.91	218.09
Special accounts	309,074.50	93,417.39	215,657.11
Total	$691,312.67	$464,830.07	$226,482.60
Balance to credit of all accounts			$226,482.60
Balance to credit of special accounts			215,657.11
Balance to credit of general accounts			$ 10,825.49

From the foregoing balance to the credit of general accounts there will be transferred to the credit of special accounts of 1912 the balance in the park fund, which will from January 1, 1912, be considered a special account ..... $ 3,290.67

Balance to credit of general accounts ..... $ 7,534.82

To the foregoing balance to the credit of general accounts, there will be transferred from the balance to the credit of special accounts the unexpended balance in the market house fund ..... $ 638.35

Balance to credit of general accounts ..... $ 8,173.17

The above balance to the credit of general accounts consisting of items enumerated below will be returned to general appropriations account:

Salary of officers and clerks	$ 109.64	
Incidentals, department of finance	23.09	
Lavatory maintenance	1,500.00	
Incidentals, city sealer	79.22	
Incidentals, department of law	60.44	
Incidentals, municipal court	74.96	
Advertising and printing	11.25	
Blank books and stationery	4.70	
City Hall	704.01	
City civil engineer	74.59	
Garbage disposal	934.40	
Furniture and fixtures	.35	
Street lights	611.73	
Street cleaning	63.60	
Bridges	1,087.38	
Public grounds and buildings	.37	
Sewer repairs	352.95	
Streets, maintenance and repairs	6.68	
Incidentals, department of public works	41.79	
Insurance	62.96	
Drinking fountains	4.32	
Lakeside dike repairs	914.83	
Fire force pay rolls	53.60	
Fire force account	3.75	
Police force pay roll	334.32	
Police station account	.22	
Market house maintenance	164.78	
Weighmaster, salary and incidentals	36.80	
Contagious diseases, prevention	130.02	
Incidentals, department of public health	1.07	
Meat and dairy inspector's salary	60.00	
Weed cutting	27.00	
Market house fund	638.35	
Total		$ 8,173.17

APPROPRIATIONS AVAILABLE DURING YEAR.

Carried forward from the year 1910.

Market house maintenance	$ 71.10	
Lakeside dike repairs	914.83	
Police station account	2,750.00	
		$ 3,735.93
Annual appropriation ordinance	414	228,946.00
Miscellaneous claims	420	100.00
Miscellaneous claims	431	250.00
Miscellaneous claims	432	150.00
Police force pay roll	433	520.00
New streets	434	7,000.00
Parks	435	1,800.00
Fire force account	436	3,000.00
Incidentals city sealer	437	250.00
Police force pay roll	438	1,950.00
Miscellaneous claims	439	405.00
Parks	440	2,600.00
Parks	441	2,500.00
Sewer repairs	442	5,000.00
Miscellaneous claims	443	62.50
Miscellaneous claims	444	327.50
Lavatory maintenance	445	1,500.00
Market house maintenance	446	775.00
Incidentals, city sealer	447	100.00
Fire force account	448	100.00
Garbage disposal	449	4,000.00
Advertising and printing	451	700.00
Fire force account	452	60.00
Maintenance and repair of streets	453	1,500.00
Parks	454	1,050.22
Salary, officers and clerks	455	700.00
Sanitary police, salary	456	120.00
Fire force pay roll	457	1,006.00
Miscellaneous claims	458	121.00
New streets	459	5,643.83
Fire force account	460	500.00
Parks	461	3,925.19
City Hall account	462	1,000.00
Maintenance and repair of streets	463	700.00
Total		$381,338.17

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF GENERAL AND SPECIAL FUNDS FOR THE YEARS 1910 AND 1911.

Receipts, General Fund.	1910.	1911.	Excess. 1910.	Excess. 1911.
Taxes	$282,236.64	$309,054.19	.....	$26,817.55
Liquor licenses	32,260.00	52,060.00	.....	19,800.00
Plumbers' licenses	165.00	205.00	.....	50.00
Auctioneer licenses	280.00	170.00	$ 110.00	.....
Billiard and pool tables	610.00	1,300.00	.....	690.00
Milk licenses	351.66	390.00	.....	38.34
Peddlers' licenses	182.00	688.00	.....	506.00
Second-hand dealers' license	26.00	75.00	.....	49.00
Sewer builders' licenses	58.00	60.00	.....	2.00
Meat dealers' licenses	2,030.78	1,940.17	90.61	.....
Exhibition license	575.00	1,279.50	.....	704.50
Pawnbrokers' license	725.00	600.00	125.00	.....
House movers' license	30.00	30.00	.....	.....
Pole license	1,206.00	1,176.00	30.00	.....
Interest city funds	7,345.80	8,893.15	.....	1,547.35
City docket fees	2,285.00	2,721.00	.....	436.00
City scale receipts	1,899.40	1,822.50	76.90	.....
Market receipts	3,224.40	3,598.90	.....	374.50
Building permits	1,150.41	1,466.49	.....	316.08
Plumbing permits	488.00	531.00	.....	43.00
Sewer permits	496.50	522.50	.....	27.00
Dog tax	1,455.78	.85	1,454.93	.....
Miscellaneous receipts	4,504.85	5,103.33	.....	598.48
Controller's fees	512.00	498.00	14.00	.....
Gas meter inspection	900.00	900.00	.....	.....
Total	$344,987.32	$395,085.58	.....	$50,098.36

Receipts Special Funds.	1910.	1911.	Excess. 1910.	Excess. 1911.
Sinking fund, taxes	$ 16,799.81	$ 17,510.14	.....	$ 710.33
Sinking fund, bonds matured	8,892.78	7,913.33	978.85	.....
Sinking fund, interest	1,779.07	1,336.15	442.92	.....
Firemen's pension fund, taxes	3,359.96	3,502.04	.....	142.08
Policemen's pension fund, taxes	3,359.96	3,502.04	.....	142.08
Monument fund, taxes	839.99	875.51	.....	35.52
Elec. light plant fund, taxes	25,199.71	26,265.24	.....	1,065.53
Market house fund, taxes	4,199.95	.....	4,199.95	.....
Track elevation fund	33,599.60	17,510.14	16,089.46	.....
Elec. light plant fund, transfer	30,000.00	.....	30,000.00	.....
Street special	3,128.74	2,503.83	624.91	.....
Total	$131,160.47	$ 80,919.02	$50,241.45	.....
Excess receipts, all funds			$ 143.09	

Disbursements, General Fund.	1910.	1911.	Excess. 1910.	Excess. 1911.
Salary, officers and clerks	$ 32,908.82	$ 34,070.36	.....	$ 1,161.54
Incidentals, department of finance	545.00	946.91	.....	401.91
Interest on bonded debts	23,013.00	23,013.00	.....	.....
Miscellaneous claims	9,100.00	1,416.00	7,684.00	.....
Incidentals, city sealer	.....	270.78	.....	270.78
Incidentals, department of law	396.63	339.56	57.07	.....
Incidentals, municipal court	193.87	175.04	21.83	.....
Advertising and printing	1,785.20	3,188.75	.....	1,403.55
Blank books and stationery	144.54	195.30	.....	50.76
City Hall	4,608.99	3,329.99	1,278.93	.....
City civil engineer, office exp	3,204.45	2,430.41	774.04	.....
Garbage disposal	11,960.52	14,485.60	.....	2,525.08
Furniture and fixtures	30.02	149.65	.....	119.63
Street lights	23,917.16	31,188.27	.....	7,271.11
Street cleaning	19,168.72	19,936.40	.....	767.68
Bridges	2,119.93	2,412.62	.....	292.69
Public grounds and buildings	2,228.53	1,999.63	229.30	.....
Sewer repairs	3,858.28	8,247.05	.....	4,388.77
Streets, Maint. and repairs	12,979.73	16,893.32	.....	3,916.59
New streets	26,166.25	25,643.83	522.76	.....
Inc. board of public works	159.26	158.21	1.15	.....
Insurance	392.60	137.04	255.56	.....
Drinking fountains	24.85	95.68	.....	70.83
Gas meter inspection	900.00	900.00	.....	.....
Lakeside dike repairs	85.17	.....	85.17	.....
Parks	19,215.03	29,424.74	.....	10,209.71
Fire force pay roll	64,909.60	72,592.40	.....	7,682.80
Fire force account	16,550.00	15,706.25	843.75	.....
Police force pay roll	43,646.32	49,595.68	.....	5,949.36
Police station account	1,384.86	3,949.78	.....	2,564.92
Market house maintenance	462.46	1,161.32	.....	698.86
Weighmaster, salary and incl.	746.80	783.20	.....	36.39
Poundmaster, salary	144.00	144.00	.....	.....
Contagious diseases, prevention	599.96	1,469.98	129.92	.....
Incidentals, board of health	198.32	198.93	.59	.....
Sanitary police, salary	2,340.00	2,460.00	.....	120.00
Meat and dairy inspector, salary	1,862.50	2,280.00	.....	417.50
Weed cutting	41.25	23.00	18.25	.....
Total	$382,892.13	$371,412.68	.....	$58,520.55

Disbursements, Special Funds.	1910.	1911.	Excess. 1910.	Excess. 1911.
Street special	$ 2,769.69	$ 2,446.94	$ 322.75	.....
Elec. light plant (Constr.)	92,851.60	48,897.30	43,954.30	.....
Market house fund	19,993.70	678.15	19,320.55	.....
Maumee Ave. Pav. Guar. fund	43.80	.....	43.80	.....
Track elevation	12,293.69	34,292.25	.....	$20,998.56
Alcatraz St. Pav. Guar. fund	7,564.00	103.67	7,460.33	.....
Total	$136,516.48	$ 86,413.31	$50,103.17	.....
Excess disbursements, all funds			$11,582.62	

STATEMENT OF TRUST ACCOUNT, STREET, SIDEWALK, ALLEY AND SEWER IMPROVEMENTS.

Balance on hands January 1, 1911	$ 30,961.94	
Collections certified by treasurer	$5,956.37	
Total		$116,918.31
Warrants paid during year		86,291.21
Cash balance December 31, 1911		$ 30,627.10

WARRANT AND ORDER ACCOUNT.

Warrants unredeemed January 1, 1911	$ 286.06	
Warrants issued during year	93,461.09	
Total		$ 93,747.15
Warrants redeemed during year		86,291.21
Warrants unredeemed December 31, 1911		$ 7,455.94

CASH IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT.

Cash on hand January 1, 1911		$ .00
Collections certified by treasurer—		
Streets	$129,830.85	
Sidewalks	22,868.80	
Alleys	2,052.53	
Sewers	4,242.58	
Dikes	318.74	
Advertising	35.80	
Total collections		$159,349.30
Total		$159,349.30
Warrants redeemed during year		159,249.36
Balance December 31, 1911		00

WARRANT AND ORDER ACCOUNT.

Warrants unredeemed January 1, 1911	$ .00
Warrants issued during year	159,249.36
Warrants redeemed during year	159,249.36
Warrants unredeemed December 31, 1911	$ .00

MUNICIPAL ELECTRIC LIGHT AND POWER WORKS.

Treasurer's cash balance January 1, 1911	$ 15,226.58	
Unredeemed warrants	791.97	
Available balance		$ 15,431.61
Receipts—		
Current	$ 96,206.14	
Steam	7,726.92	
Lamps and material	1,512.87	
Total receipts		$105,605.93
Total available and received		$121,040.54
Disbursements—		
Salary, office employes	$ 207.75	
Salary, electrician and assistants	3,200.00	
Salary, engineer and firemen	6,780.31	
Salary, meter readers and troublemen	2,400.52	
Pay roll, linemen and laborers	4,850.25	
Stationery and postage	499.88	
Fuel	23,844.58	
Oil and waste	579.72	
Tools	164.29	
Supplies	619.24	
Lamps and globes	2,649.41	
Repairs to buildings	849.62	
Repairs to machinery and dynamos	2,765.27	
Repairs to boilers and fireboxes	2,647.29	
Repairs to meters and transformers	50.34	
Repairs to overhead system	926.22	
Repairs to conduit system	31.50	
Insurance on buildings	27.69	
Indemnity insurance	1,970.28	
Advertising	191.50	
Pole and conduit rental	1,624.50	
Easement on tower space	25.00	
Total disbursements		$ 56,568.18
Available balance		$ 64,471.36
Unredeemed warrants		803.04
Treasurer's cash balance		$ 65,274.40

DEPARTMENT OF WATER WORKS.

	Receipts.	Disbursements.	Balances.
Cash on hand January 1, 1911	$ 26,579.70	$	$ .....
January	14,727.66	5,682.16	35,624.20
February	6,312.60	6,227.03	35,709.83
March	12,392.77	9,754.86	38,347.74
April	5,108.19	12,176.95	31,278.98
May	10,412.63	17,132.35	24,559.16
June	7,585.34	15,328.26	16,816.24
July	15,688.55	12,803.71	19,701.08
August	5,482.22	14,077.72	11,105.58
September	11,021.10	7,118.21	15,018.47
October	7,516.35	9,470.09	12,064.73
November	4,072.69	10,851.39	5,286.03
December	11,617.61	4,223.70	.....
Total	$ 133,527.37	$124,848.43	
Balance December 31, 1911			$ 13,678.94

SUMMARY OF ALL ACCOUNTS.

	Resources.	Warrants Issued.	Balances.
General fund	$ 517,105.77	$371,412.68	$145,693.09
Special funds	290,918.67	93,417.39	197,501.28
Imp. bonds to credit of singing fund	20,808.15	.....	20,808.15
Trust accounts	116,918.31	86,291.21	30,627.10
Cash improvement accounts	159,249.36	159,249.36	.....
Electric light and power department	121,040.54	56,568.18	64,471.36
Water works department	138,527.37	124,848.43	13,678.94
Total	$1,364,568.17	$891,788.25	$472,779.92

State of Indiana, Allen County, ss:

Before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County, this day personally came W. S. Cutshall, who upon his oath says that he is the Controller of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, and that the above and foregoing report and statements of the financial condition of the said City of Fort Wayne, Indiana, are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

W. S. CUTSHALL, Controller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of January, 1912.

(Seal.) WINIFRED S. SPALDING, Notary Public.

My commission expires September 23, 1912.

Referred to committee on Finance and Water Works Committee.

REPORT OF ELECTION OF A TRUSTEE FOR THE FIREMEN'S PENSION FUND.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 13, 1912.

To the Common Council.

Gentlemen: The undersigned met and canvassed the ballots of an election held Monday, Feb. 12, 1912, by the members of the fire department for the election of one trustee for the firemen's pension fund, to serve for the period of four years. The total number of ballots cast was as follows:

J. Biemer received	30 votes
C. Schwartz received	17 votes
C. Harris received	11 votes
F. Hensel received	11 votes
E. Henschen received	3 votes
R. Dean received	6 votes
Total	78 votes

Julian Biemer was duly elected trustee of the firemen's pension fund for the next four years.

Respectfully,
HENRY HILBRECHT,
Chief Fire Department.
JESSE GRICE,
Mayor.
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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

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passage and approval by the mayor and legal publication.

JNO. J. BAUER.

The ordinance was read the first time in full, and on motion the ordinance was read the second time by its title and referred to the committee on rules, regulations and ordinances.

COMMUNICATION FROM THE SIXTH WARD CIVIC IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 3, 1912.

To the Members of the City Council of the City of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Gentlemen: Herein you will find a copy of the resolutions which were unanimously adopted, by a rising vote, by the citizens of the Sixth ward, at a mass meeting held at Emmaus hall, December 5, 1911.

We trust that these resolutions may meet with favorable consideration at the hands of the members of the city council, and that not only the Sixth ward, but the city of Fort Wayne may be benefited thereby.

Respectfully submitted,
THE SIXTH WARD CIVIC IMPROVEMENT ASSOCIATION.
A. A. RINGWALT, Pres.
O. L. ROGERS, Secy.

Whereas, A very large part of the river banks in Fort Wayne have the appearance of a slum district and tend to our disgrace and humiliation, and until acquired by our city is likely to remain in its present deplorable condition; and,

Whereas, These banks, the rivers which flow between them and the parks which now face upon them, and other available parks and park strips which border upon them, and which should be acquired and improved, would constitute one of Fort Wayne's chief assets for beauty, for home entertainment and to serve as an attraction to excursionists and to visitors from abroad; and,

Whereas, The generation to come will profit by and enjoy these parks, park strips, driveways and river banks to a greater extent than will this generation, on which will fall the improvement of these grounds; therefore, be it

Resolved, That it is the sense of the Sixth Ward Civic Improvement association that a bond issue of $200,000 should be made by the city of Fort Wayne for the purpose of purchasing now, while they can still be had, such river banks, park strips and other parks which the future growth of Fort Wayne will render necessary, in order that all our people may be afforded park privileges within walking distance of their homes, and that we hereby petition the city administration and city council to submit this proposed bond issue to an early vote of our citizens.

Whereas, There is now pending before the city council an ordinance placing the planting, trimming and care of the trees upon public streets and lawns under the control of the board of park commissioners, whose duty it shall be to provide our citizens with competent and skilled help to assist them in the selection, planting, trimming and general care of our public trees; and,

Whereas, The street trees in South Wayne have many of them been killed by tree butchers who call themselves "tree trimmers," and by telephone and electric light men, and house movers; and,

Whereas, It is generally known that our street trees are many of them being attacked and killed by scale and by other insects, and that the gypsy moth and the brown-tail moth are steadily marching westward and are already near our borders, if not actually across such borders, and that unless Fort Wayne prepares at once to fight these pests, practically all the shade trees of our city will disappear; therefore, be it

Resolve, That it is the unanimous opinion of this association that this ordinance should pass, and we express our belief that while at first some persons might object to this public oversight of public trees, the ordinance need only be in force for a twelvemonth to make it one of the most popular of all our city regulations.

Introduced by E. A. Wagner.

Received and spread on record.

RESIGNATION OF COUNCILMAN PINNIGER.

Toledo, Ohio, Feb. 1, 1912.

To the President and Members of the Common Council, Fort Wayne, Ind.

Gentlemen: I hand you herewith my resignation as Ninth ward councilman of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, effective at your next regular meeting, which takes place Tuesday, Feb. 13.

As you are all aware I was on January 12 transferred to Toledo and have since found it advisable to locate here with my family, and have disposed of my personal interests at Fort Wayne; therefore my resignation.

I wish to express my appreciation for the kind and courteous treatment always shown me by each and every member of your honorable body during the two years in which we were associated together.

With kind regards to you one and all, I beg to remain,

Very respectfully yours,
H. G. PINNIGER.

Accepted,

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 529.

An ordinance fixing the salary of the clerk of the health department.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, that the salary of the clerk of the health department be fixed at the sum of forty-five dollars ($45.00) per month, and that the department of health be and is hereby authorized to pay the same.

Section 2. This ordinance shall repeal all parts of any ordinances in conflict herewith.

Section 3. That this ordinance be in full force and take effect from and after its passage and approval by the mayor and legal publication.

H. W. FELGER.

The ordinance was read the third time in full, and on motion the ordinance was now passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 13, viz: Bauer, Braun, Dittoe, Felger, Haller, Hamilton, Kinder, Pfleger, Rogge, Sarver, Schroeder, Wagner, Welch.

Nays, none.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 530.

An ordinance approving a contract entered into on the 26th day of December, 1911, by and between the city of Fort Wayne, party of the first part, and David M. Winburn, party of the second part, relative to the collection of garbage.

Whereas, on the 26th day of December, 1911, the city of Fort Wayne, by and through its board of public works, entered into a contract with David M. Winburn for the collection of garbage, tin cans, glassware, etc., which contract is as follows:

This agreement, made this 26th day of December, 1911, by and between the city of Fort Wayne, by and through its board of public works, party of the first part, for convenience hereinafter known as "city," and David M. Winburn, of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, party of the second part, for convenience hereinafter known as "contractor," witnesseth:

That for the consideration hereinafter set out, the contractor hereby agrees to collect and remove all kitchen garbage, tin cans, broken dishes, glassware, table, household and general refuse in said city of Fort Wayne, during the year 1912, as more fully set out in the specifications which, for identification, have been signed by the parties hereto, which specifications are hereby made a part of this contract, and all the conditions, terms and provisions of said specifications shall be complied with and performed by the parties hereto, the same as if such specifications and provisions were set forth in full in the body of this contract. In the event of any conflict between the terms and provisions in this contract and the provisions of said specifications, the former shall control.

In consideration of the covenants and agreements herein expressed, the city agrees to pay said contractor the sum of eleven thousand, two hundred and fifty dollars ($11,250.00), which sum is to be paid in equal monthly installments at the end of each month for the work performed under this contract during such month, less such deductions as said city may be authorized to make under the provisions of this contract.

It is further agreed by the parties hereto that this contract shall not be assigned by said contractor in whole or in part without the written consent of said board of public works. And the said contractor shall and hereby agrees to furnish a bond in the sum of four thousand dollars ($4,000.00), satisfactory to said city, conditioned that he will faithfully comply with and carry out the terms and stipulations of this contract.

Said contractor agrees that he will keep a service during the months of May, June, July, August, September and October not less than ten (10) garbage wagons of the regulation size, drawn by two horses, and during the other remaining months of the year he will keep in service not less than seven (7) of such wagons. In addition to the wagons to be kept in service by the contractor, as herein set out; that he will also keep in service during the entire year two (2) other wagons, one of which shall be a light wagon, which shall contain a metal box, which will hold about six (6) ordinary cans of garbage, which wagon is to be used as a "call" wagon where garbage has been overlooked and missed by the regular collector. It is also to be used by the contractor or an overseer appointed by him to go over the entire city for the purpose of seeing that the collection of the garbage, as herein provided, is being properly done; and said overseer or driver of said wagon is to report, at the office of the board of public works, each day, to secure a list of any complaints that may have been made for failure to collect garbage, so that the same can be cared for by him. The second wagon is to be, in addition to the regulation garbage wagons and "call" wagon, used for the purpose of collecting tin cans, dishes, glassware, etc., as more fully set out in said specifications.

It being understood that the contractor and his drivers and employes will, while in the execution of the within contract, obey and conform to all said ordinances, and for any violation of the same the contractor shall be liable on his bond for the payment of any penalties that may be found against him or his employes. It being also understood that the contractor will see to it that the top of the wagons used by him in carrying garbage shall be covered at all times while the same are passing through the streets, and shall at no time be so loaded that the cover cannot be closed. It is further understood that he will see to it that his employes and drivers will report to the board of health all places where proper receptacles for the holding of garbage are not provided, or any other violation of any other city ordinance relating to the manner in which garbage shall be kept by the householder, for which purpose each employe of said contractor shall be supplied by said contractor with a book containing blank slips or notices on which shall be placed the name and address of the offender, and the same turned in to the superintendent of the crematory.

It is also understood that said contractor will file with the board of public works a routing showing the said points, the way and detail in which the route is covered by the driver, so that the driver of any garbage wagon can be found practically at any time by consulting the route sheet; contractor agreeing not to make any change in such route until the same is approved by the board of public works. For any failure to file said routing, or to follow the same, or for making any changes therein without first receiving permission from said city, or for failing to collect garbage properly, as herein provided, said contractor agrees that he shall pay to the city as liquidated damages the sum of one dollar ($1.00) for each and every failure or violation of said provisions.

It is further understood that the city may, at any time, arrange for and order the contractor to haul the garbage so collected to points other than the crematory, without any additional consideration being paid to said contractor. Provided, that said change of the place of delivery shall not increase the distance of the haul of said contractor.

Witness our hands and seals the day and year first above written.

CITY OF FORT WAYNE,
By FRANK T. BENOY,
G. A. SCHWEGMAN,
E. J. LENNON,
Its Board of Public Works.
DAVID M. WINBURN.

Attest:
H. W. BECKER, Clerk.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, that the contract heretofore entered into by and between the city of Fort Wayne and David M. Winburn, on the 26th day of December, 1911, as more fully set out in the preamble hereto, be in all things fully confirmed and approved.

Section 2. This ordinance to be in full force and take effect from and after its passage and approval by the mayor and legal publication.

P. M. BRAUN.

The ordinance was read the third time in full, and on motion the ordinance was now passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 13, viz: Bauer, Braun, Dittoe, Felger, Haller, Hamilton, Kinder, Pfleger, Rogge, Sarver, Schroeder, Wagner, Welch.

Nays, none.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 531.

An ordinance approving and ratifying a certain contract entered into by and between the city of Fort Wayne and the Fort Wayne and Northern Indiana Traction company, for the laying of certain tracks on Ewing and Webster streets, between Main and Pearl streets; certain curves and switches for same, and for the construction of certain Y's for the operation of "pay as you enter" cars.

Whereas, on the 9th day of January, 1912, the city of Fort Wayne entered into a contract with the Fort Wayne and Northern Indiana Traction company for the laying of certain tracks on Ewing and Webster streets, between Main and Pearl streets; certain curves and switches for same, and for the construction of certain Y's for the operation of "pay as you enter" cars, which contract is in the following words:

This agreement, made and entered into this 9th day of January, 1912, by and between the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its board of public works thereinafter called the "city", party of the first part, and the Fort Wayne and Northern Indiana Traction company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the state of Indiana, and owning and operating a system of street and interurban street railroads in said city and from said city to and into other cities and towns in said state thereinafter called "traction company", party of the second part, witnesseth, that:

Whereas, said traction company has acquired lots numbered one (1), two (2), three (3), four (4), and five (5), in block number twelve (12) in Ewing's addition to the city of Fort Wayne, Allen county, Indiana, and have commenced proceedings for the condemnation of lot number six (6) in said block for the purpose of terminal stations, depot and offices for its use, and in order to utilize said premises for said uses it is necessary to construct, maintain and operate a single track street railroad track on Webster and Ewing streets, between Main and Pearl streets, with suitable curves connecting said tracks with said traction company's existing and main tracks on said Main and Pearl streets; and also to construct and maintain spur tracks from its main tracks on Main street running into and through its said premises to and connecting with its main track on Pearl street, as shown on plan and plat thereof attached hereto, and which is made a part of this agreement; and,

Whereas, said traction company desires to acquire and operate "pay as you enter" cars on its lines in said city, and to that end and for that purpose it is necessary for said company to construct, maintain and operate Y tracks at the end of each of said lines in order that said cars may be there turned.

Now, therefore, in consideration of the premises and of the mutual and several covenants of the parties herein contained, it is hereby agreed by and between said parties hereto as follows:

1. Consent, authority and permission be and are hereby given and granted to and vested in said traction company, its successors and assigns, to construct, maintain and operate a single street railroad track on Webster street, and also on Ewing street, from Main street to Pearl street, with necessary and suitable curves to connect the same with the tracks of said company on Main street and Pearl street, as shown on said plat, and also to construct, maintain and operate the curves and spur tracks connecting with said company's track on Main street, and running into and through said premises and connecting with necessary and suitable curves with said company's track on said Pearl street, approximately as shown on said plat, together with the necessary poles, wires, switches and other appliances for the proper operation of said tracks.

2. Said tracks shall be constructed and maintained on a level with the grade of said street as now or hereafter established by said city, except that said curve and spur tracks leading into the said premises of said traction company as shown on said plat, may be laid and maintained on a grade level with the center of said streets; but the said traction company, its successors and assigns, shall so construct and maintain the said tracks, together with a gutter or drain under the same, as to permit and not in obstruct the free flow of water along the north side of Main street and the south side of Pearl street.

3. Said tracks and curves and other appliances hereby authorized to be constructed on said Main, Pearl, Webster and Ewing streets may be maintained and operated so long as said premises are maintained and used by said traction company, its successors and assigns, as and for its or their terminal station, depot and offices, and said tracks and curves shall be so constructed and maintained as to permit and not to unnecessarily obstruct or interfere with the use of said streets by other vehicles.

4. Said traction company shall upon the laying of any of said tracks at its own expense replace or repave any portion of said streets or the sidewalks thereon which may be taken up or removed by said traction company in so doing, and shall pave or repave, from time to time, as often as the balance of said streets shall be paved or repaved, and keep in good repair, all parts of said streets between the outer rails of said tracks and for a distance of twelve (12) inches outside of the outside rails of said tracks with brick or other suitable material, as the board of public works of said city may direct.

5. Consent, permission and authority are hereby given and granted to and vested in said traction company, its successors and assigns, for the purpose of Y's on which to turn its or their cars at the ends of its lines in said city, and for the proper operation of "pay as you enter" cars thereon, to construct, maintain and operate the following Y's, tracks and curves:

(1). An extension of its present single track for a distance of 195 feet eastward on Columbia avenue and a single track on the center line of Crescent avenue for a distance of 100 feet north of the north line of Columbia avenue, together with suitable switches and curves connecting said single track on Crescent avenue with its said track on Columbia avenue, as at present constructed and hereby authorized to be extended, at the intersection of said streets.

(2). A single track on Franklin avenue, extending 95 feet south of the south line of Huffman street, and suitable switches and curves connecting the same with the track of said company on Huffman street, at the intersection of said streets.

(3). A single track on Garden street, extending a distance of 215 feet each side from the center line of Jefferson street, together with suitable switches and curve tracks connecting the same with the present track of said company on Jefferson street.

(4.) A single track extending the present track of said company on East Creighton avenue for a distance of 182 feet east of the east line of Walton avenue, and a single track along the center line of Walton avenue extending a distance of 168 feet south of the south line of East Creighton avenue, together with suitable switches and curve tracks connecting the same with the track of said company on said Creighton avenue, at the intersection of said streets.

(5.) A single track along the center of Glasgow avenue extending for a distance of 125 feet south of the center line of Washington street and 215 feet north of the center line of said Washington street extended, together with suitable switches and curve tracks to connect the same with the track of said company on Washington street, at the intersection of said streets.

(6). A single track extending the present track of said company on South Wayne avenue to a point 210 feet south of the center line of Organ avenue, and a track on Organ avenue for a distance of 125 feet west of the center line of South Wayne avenue, together with suitable switches and curve tracks connecting the same with the said company's track on South Wayne avenue, at the intersection of said streets.

(7). A single track on Walton avenue, extending a distance of 110 feet north and 200 feet south of the center line of Pontiac street extended eastward, together with suitable switches and curve tracks connecting the same with the said company's track on Pontiac street at the intersection of said streets.

(8). A single tracks extending said company's single track on Broadway street to a point 184 feet south of the south line of the Bluffton plank road, at the point where the same intersects said Broadway street, together with a suitable switch and curve tracks connecting the same with said company's track on said Bluffton plank road.

Together with all necessary and convenient poles, wires and other appliances to properly operate said Y's and tracks for the purpose of turning said cars thereon. A plat showing the method of construction of said Y's is attached hereto and made a part hereof, and said Y's and curve tracks shall be constructed and maintained substantially in the manner thereon shown.

6. Said tracks shall be constructed and maintained on a level with the grade of said streets on which constructed as now or hereafter established by said city, and so as not to unnecessarily interfere with the use of said streets by vehicles and persons using sidewalks so crossed by said tracks, and suitable gutters and drains shall be so constructed and maintained under said tracks wherever necessary so as to permit and not obstruct the free flow of water along the sides of said streets or any of them.

7. Said traction company shall upon the laying of any of said Y's, tracks, curves and switches, at its own expense, replace or repave any portion of said streets and the sidewalks thereon which may be taken up or removed by said traction company in so doing, and shall pave or repave from time to time as often as the balance of said streets shall be paved or repaved, and keep in good repair all parts of said streets between the outer rails of said tracks and for a distance of twelve (12) inches outside of the outside rails of said tracks with brick or other suitable material as the board of public works of said city may direct.

8. Said Y's, tracks, curves and switches hereby authorized to be constructed and maintained shall not be used for the storage of cars thereon, and shall also be subject to all the terms conditions and covenants of the several ordinances and contracts under and by virtue of which said traction company now maintains and operates the several main tracks of said company to which they are hereby authorized to be connected.

In witness whereof, said parties have caused their names to be hereunto subscribed by their proper officers the day and year above written.

CITY OF FORT WAYNE.
By FRANK T. BENOY,
G. A. SCHWEGMAN,
E. J. LENNON,
Board of Public Works.
Attest: H. W. BECKER, Clerk.
FORT WAYNE AND NORTHERN INDIANA TRACTION COMPANY.
By SAM. W. GREENLAND,
Assist. General Manager.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, that the contract heretofore entered into by and between the city of Fort Wayne and the Fort Wayne and Northern Indiana Traction company, on the 9th day of January, 1912, as more fully set out in the preamble hereto, be in all things confirmed and approved.

Section 2. This ordinance be in full force and take effect from and after its passage, approval by the mayor and legal publication.

CHARLES W. DITTOE.

The ordinance was read the third time in full, and on motion the ordinance was now passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 13, viz: Bauer, Braun, Dittoe, Felger, Haller, Hamilton, Kinder, Pfleger, Rogge, Sarver, Schroeder, Wagner, Welch.

Nays, none.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 532.

An ordinance approving a contract entered into on the 8th day of January, 1912, by and between the city of Fort Wayne, by and through its board of public safety, party of the first part, and the Safety Insulated Wire and Cable Company of New Jersey, party of the second part.

Whereas, on the 8th day of January, 1912, the city of Fort Wayne, by and through its board of public safety, entered into a contract with the Safety Insulated Wire and Cable company of New Jersey, for the manufacture, delivery and installing of the underground alloy-covered cables for the signal and telephone circuits for the fire department, which contract is as follows:

CONTRACT.

This agreement, made and entered into this 8th day of January, 1912, by and between the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, by and through its board of public safety, party of the first part, and for convenience hereinafter referred to as the board, and the Safety Insulated Wire and Cable company of New Jersey, party of the second part, and for convenience hereinafter referred to as contractor. Witnesseth:

That for and in consideration of the payment by the board to the contractor of the sum of money hereinafter referred to, the contractor hereby agrees to manufacture, deliver and install the underground alloy-covered cables for the signal and telephone circuits for the fire department of the city of Fort Wayne Indiana, all in accordance with specifications for the same, all of which are made a part and parcel of this contract and binding upon the parties hereto the same as if fully copied herein.

The contractor agrees that he will, within ten days after the execution of this contract, execute a bond to said city for the faithful performance of the contract and indemnify the city against all damages arising out of said contract, said bond to be satisfactory to the board.

The board shall have the right to make any alterations, additions to or omissions of work or material in such contract as herein specified that may be deemed advisable, and the same shall be acceded to by the contractor and carried into effect by him, without in any way violating or vitiating the contract or any bond given by the contractor; that no alterations, additions to or omissions of work or material shall be made unless the same shall first be ordered by the board, in writing, and the written agreement entered into between the board and the contractor as to the amount of money to be allowed or deducted for such alteration or additions.

The contractor further agrees that in the prosecution of said work all proper skill and care will be exercised; that said contractor will properly and fully guard and protect all excavations and dangerous places and will use all due and proper precaution to prevent injury to the property, person or persons what or whomsoever, and during the time of making such improvement the city of Fort Wayne shall be saved harmless from any and all liability whatsoever growing out of any injury or damage to property or persons, because of any neglect of fault of the contractor, his agent or employes in the execution of this contract, or any matter connected thereto or relative thereto, and to pay any judgment with costs which may be obtained against the said city growing out of any injury or damages.

Said contractor further contracts and agrees to pay any and all moneys due any contractor, person or persons furnishing any material for said work and pay any laborers employed by him for any work done in the prosecution of said improvement, and that in the event any liens are filed with this board for any such material, men or laborers, this board is authorized to hold out of the amount of moneys due said contractor an amount equal to the amount of the liens or claims filed. That before said contractor shall receive his money for the performance of this work he agrees to fully satisfy the board that all liens and claims have been paid. The board to determine for itself whether the evidence of said payment is or is not satisfactory.

It is hereby expressly understood that no assignment of this contract shall be made to any party without the consent of said board, in writing, and that said work shall be completed by May 1st, 1912.

The contractor agrees to pay the city, as liquidate damages, the sum of five dollars ($5.00) for each and every day that said contract is unfinished after aforesaid time. The city reserving the right, after five days' notice to contractor after expiration of aforesaid time, to take possession of the premises and all materials thereon, and provide work and material to complete said work and deduct the cost and charges thereof from any sum that may be due said contractor.

It is agreed by the board that for and in consideration of the furnishing of said materials and for the performance of said work it will pay to the contractor the sum of three thousand one hundred thirty-one dollars and eighty-eight cents ($3,131.88) on the completion and final acceptance of the work by the board.

In witness whereof, the parties have hereunto set their hands and seals this 8th day of January, 1912.

THE CITY OF FORT WAYNE, IND.,
By J. C. HUTZELL,
MARION B. JOHNSON,
W. D. HENDERSON,
Its Board of Public Safety.
THE SAFETY INSULATED WIRE AND CABLE CO.,
GEO. B. WILSON,
Treasurer.
Attest:
G. M. HASKELL,
Secretary.

BOND.

Know all men by these presents, that we, the Safety Insulated Wire and Cable Co. of New Jersey, as principal, and the Empire State Surety company, a corporation duly organized under the laws of the state of New York, as surety, are held and firmly bound to the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, in the penal sum of four thousand dollars ($4,000.00) for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators and assigns firmly by these presents.

The conditions of the above obligation are such that if the above named party of the first part shall faithfully comply with the foregoing contract made and entered into this 8th day of January, 1912, with the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, and shall fulfill all the conditions and stipulations therein contained, according to the true intent and meaning thereof in all respects, then this obligation to be void, otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law.

Witness our hands and seals this 8th day of January, 1912.

THE SAFETY INSULATED WIRE AND CABLE CO.,
GEO. B. WILSON,
Treasurer.
THE EMPIRE STATE SURETY COMPANY,
By DANIEL STEWART,
Vice President.
Attest:
D. P. SPOTTS,
Assistant Secretary.

Approved:
J. C. HUTZELL,
MARION B. JOHNSON,
W. D. HENDERSON,
Board of Public Safety.

State of New York, County of New York, ss:

On this 8th day of January, 1912, before me personally appeared Daniel Stewart, vice president of the Empire State Surety company of New York, with whom I am personally acquainted, who being by me duly sworn, said, that he resides in the state of New York; that he is vice president of the Empire State Surety company of New York, the corporation described in and which executed the foregoing instrument; that he knows the corporate seal of said company; that the seal affixed to said instrument is such seal; that it was affixed by order of the board of directors of said company; and that he signed his name thereto as vice president by like authority.

And the said Daniel Stewart further says that he is acquainted with D. P. Spotts and knows him to be the assistant secretary of the said company; that the signature of the said D. P. Spotts subscribed to the said instrument, is in the genuine handwriting of the said D. P. Spotts, and was thereto subscribed to by the like order of said board of directors and in the presence of him, the said Daniel Stewart, and that the liabilities of said company do not exceed its assets, as ascertained in the manner provided in section 3, chapter 720, of the New York session laws of 1893.

CHAS. A. GARDNER,
Notary Public, Kings County.
(Certificate filed in New York County.)

At a regular meeting of the board of directors of the Empire State Surety Company of New York, held at the offices of the company, in the borough of Brooklyn, New York city, on the 6th day of May, 1902, on motion it was,

"Resolved, That the president, either of the vice presidents, or acting vice president and the secretary, assistant secretary or acting secretary of this company be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to execute and deliver and attach the seal of the company to any and all bonds or other obligations, for and on behalf of the company.

"Be it remembered, That at a meeting of the board of directors of the Empire State Surety company of New York, duly called and held on the 18th day of March, 1908, a quorum being present, the following resolution was adopted:

"Resolved, That resident assistant secretaries of the company shall have power and authority to affix the seal of the company to and attest on behalf of the company any and all bonds, recognizances, contracts of indemnity, and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, and to bind the company thereby as fully and to the same extent as the secretary could bind it.

State of New York, County of New York, ss:

I, D. P. Spotts, assistant secretary of the Empire State Surety company of New York, have compared the foregoing resolutions, with the originals thereof, as recorded in the minute book of said company, and do certify that the same is a correct and true transcript therefrom and of the whole of said original resolutions.

Given under my hand and seal of the company, at the city of New York, this 8th day of January, 1912.

D. P. SPOTTS,
Assistant Secretary.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, that the contract heretofore entered into by and between the city of Fort Wayne and the Safety Insulated Wire and Cable company of New Jersey, on the 8th day of January, 1912, as more fully set out in the preamble hereto, be in all things fully confirmed and approved.

Section 2. This ordinance to be in full force and take effect from and after its passage and approval by the mayor, and legal publication.

CHAS. E. WELCH.

The ordinance was read the third time in full, and on motion the ordinance was now passed by the following vote:

Ayes, 13, viz: Bauer, Braun, Dittoe, Felger, Haller, Hamilton, Kinder, Pfleger, Rogge, Sarver, Schroeder, Wagner, Welch.

Nays, none.

MOTION.

A motion that the council meet in special session Saturday evening, Feb. 24, 1912, for the purpose of electing a councilman from the Ninth ward to fill the unexpired term of Harry G. Pfuniger.

Carried.

The council then adjourned.

MANCHU DYNASTY ENDS YUAN-SHIH-KAI SUPREME AS CURTAIN FALLS

The curtain has fallen on the Manchu dynasty.

Three edicts covering the abdication programme have been promulgated.

This culmination of the long drawn negotiations between the Throne and the revolutionary leaders is the most eloquent manifestation of Yuan Shih-kai's supremely skilful statesmanship. His master hand shaped the developments of every crisis to the end, peacefully ousting the Manchus and saving the country from dissolution.

General Homer Lea, the American officer who has been acting as adviser to Dr. Sun Yat-sen, the President of the Chinese Republic, is in a critical condition in Shanghai. He has been unconscious for some time.

These Talks About Disastrous Fires Are Not Meant to Alarm

Only to the Extent That You May Be Reminded of the Wisdom of Being

Prepared for the Unexpected.

Some One Has Said:

"Wisdom is the wealth of the wise."

And, Again,

"Wisdom is a defense."

DEFEND YOURSELF Against **Loss by Fire!**

Federspiel & Thiery.

The Right Kind of Soothing Syrup

When baby becomes fretful, restless, cries most of the time—day and night — interrupts your work and disturbs your sleep and finally makes everyone just a trifle irritable—

Just 'phone or call for a bottle of

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It is prompt and effective

—give a dose or two and baby will cease to be fretful—your work will cease to be a burden—your night's rest is unbroken.

You can give baby Nyal's Soothing Syrup with perfect safety—

There are no habit-forming drugs used in its manufacture

—we know the ingredients used—that's why we advocate its use.

Twenty-five cents the bottle.

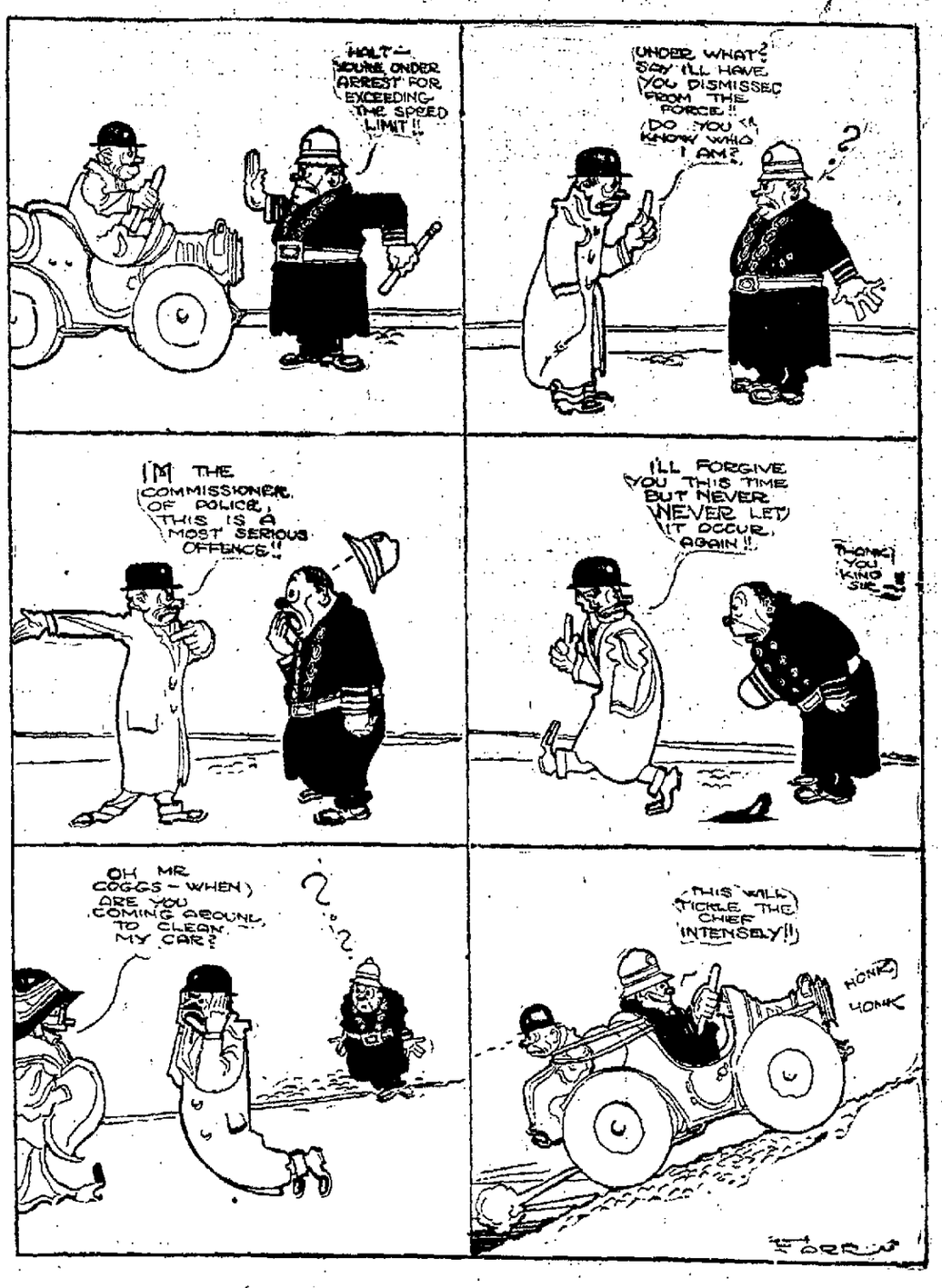
When we had a chance to get the exclusive selling agency for Nyal Family Remedies we jumped at it: They are known among all druggists as the highest quality line on the market, and are prepared by a great firm of manufacturing chemists, famous for fifty years.

Jacob Bill's Drug Store,
1401 E. Creighton Ave.
Zimmerman's Drug Store,
1313 Broadway.
Meinzen Drug Store,
1129 Maumee Ave.
Hutzell's Drug Store,
1402 West Main St.

Germany's naval budget has increased in nine years from 194,000,000 marks to 434,000,000 marks, while the annual expenditure on the German army has risen from 677,000,000 marks to 807,000,000 marks

MISS TABBIE CATT

SHE'S ALWAYS AROUND


HOLT— YOURE UNDER ARREST FOR EXCEEDING THE SPEED LIMIT!!
UNDER WHAT? SAY I'LL HAVE YOU DISMISSED FROM THE FORCE!!
DO YOU KNOW WHO I AM?
I'M THE COMMISSIONER OF POLICE, THIS IS A MOST SERIOUS OFFENCE!!
I'LL FORGIVE YOU THIS TIME BUT NEVER NEVER LET IT OCCUR AGAIN!!
THANK YOU KIND SIR
OH MR COGGS - WHEN ARE YOU COMING AROUND TO CLEAN MY CAR?
THIS WILL TICKLE THE CHIEF INTENSELY!!
HONK! HONK
FORBUS

Latest Markets

ANOTHER DROP IS COMING.

Eggs Down Two Cents Today and Will Go Lower.

The retail street and store price of eggs remain at 35 cents, the quotation of yesterday, although the commission house price has fallen two cents since yesterday. Eggs are due for another big drop before the week closes. Mr. Weiner, of the commission firm of Wiener & Co., and Mr. Hall, of the Beyer Bros. Co., both say that eggs will be down to 25 cents a dozen in a few days.

LOCAL MARKETS.

GRAIN AND FLOUR.

Street Prices.

Wheat—94c bu.
Oats—50c bu.
Corn—55@60c bu.
Barley—90c bu.
Rye—80c bu.

C. Trescott & Sons.

Flour—Winter wheat, straight, $4.60@4.80 bbl; winter wheat, patents, $5.40@5.20 bbl; spring wheat, patents, $5.40@5.20 bbls; graham flour, $4.20@4.40 bl; rye flour, $5.00@5.20 bbl; pumpernickle, $4.40@4.80 bbl.
Screenings—$22.00 ton.
Chopfeed—$32.00 ton.
Bran—$28.40 ton.
Shorts—$28.00 ton.
Cracked Corn—$1.60 cwt.
Middlings—$28.00 ton.
Cornmeal—Fine, $1.60 cwt; coarse, $1.40 cwt.
Oats—50c bu.
Wheat—94c bu.
Rye—80c bu.
Barley—90c bu.

Mayflower Mills

Wheat—94c bu.
Oats—50c bu.
Flour—Winter wheat, straight, $4.60@5.00 bbl
Rye—80c bu.
Barley—90c bu.
Bran—$28.00 ton.
Shorts—$26.00 ton.
Middlings—$28.00 ton.
Chop Feed—$28.00 ton.

PRODUCE QUOTATIONS.

Wiener & Co.
(Corrected by C. M. Wiener.)

Butter—Fancy Elgin creamery, tub, 32@33c lb; fancy Elgin prints, 33c. country butter, 28@30c lb; packing butter 22c lb.
Eggs—Strictly fresh candled, 28@30c doz; regular selected extras, 26@28c doz.
Potatoes—New, $1.15@1.25 bu.
Onions—Home grown, dry, $1.35@1.50.
Apples—50@1.00 bu.
Poultry—Hens, 11@12c lb; springers, 12@13c lb; ducks, 12@12½c lb.
Beans—Michigan hand-picked; $2.70@2.75.
Cheese—Cream, 18c lb; brick, 17c lb; Swiss, 20c lb; limburger, 17c lb; long horns, 17c lb.

Beyer Brothers Co.
(Corrected by C. L. Hall, Mgr.)

Eggs—Strictly fresh candled, 28@31c doz; regular selected extras, 26@29c doz.
Butter—Fancy Winona prints, 33c lb; tub, 32c lb; Sweet Clover Process butter, 28c lb.
Cheese—Wisconsin cream, 18c lb; long horns, 17c lb; brick, 17c lb.

Retail Street Market.

Eggs—Fresh gathered extras, 35c doz.
Butter — Elgin creamery, 35@36c lb; country butter, 30@35c lb.
Potatoes—$1.25@1.40 bu.
Apples—$1.00@1.25 bu.
Poultry—Chickens, 12@14c lb; turkeys, 15@18c lb; ducks, 12@14c lb.
Dressed Pork—$7.50@8.00.

CITY SCALE PRICES.

Hay—$17.00@20.00 ton.
Oats—47@51c bu.
Corn—55@60c bu.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

(Corrected by Fred Eckart Packing Co.)

Hogs—160 lbs. up; $6.00; 125 lbs. to 150 lbs., $5.50.
Cattle—Good steers, $4.00@4.50; good heifers, $3.60@4.25; cows, $2.50@3.00; bulls, $3.00@3.50; veal calves, $5.50@6.50.
Sheep and Lambs—Sheep, $2.00@2.50; lambs, $4.50@5.00.

HIDES AND SEEDS.

Wall Brothers & Co.

Green Light Hides—9@10c lb.
Cured Light Hides—12@12½c lb.
Green Calf Skins—15@16½c lb.
Cured Calf Skins—16@17c lb.
Old Rubber Boots and Shoes—8½@8½c.
Zinc and Lead—3½c lb.
Scrap Iron—35@40c cwt.
Horse Hides—$4.00.
Rags—90@1.00 cwt.
Copper—10@11c lb.
Ginseng Root—$5.00@6.00 lb.
Gold Seal Root—$4.00@4.25 lb.

FEED QUOTATIONS.

(Corrected by W. D. Henderson & Co.)

Hay—Timothy, $16.00@20.00 ton; mixed hay, $15.00@18.00 ton; clover hay, $14.00@17.00 ton.
Baled Straw—$8.00@10.00 ton.
Oats—48c bu.
Barley—90c bu.
Rye—80c bu.
Timothy Seed—$5.50@6.00.

QUOTATIONS ON FURS.

(Corrected by Weil Bros. & Co.)

Skunk—75c to $1.00.
Mink—75c to $1.00.
Muskrat—70@75c.
Opossum—10@65c.
Raccoon—25c to $3.50.
Red Fox—$1.00@7.00.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 15.—Heavy receipts in this country acted today as an offset for the scarcity of wheat in Europe. May started at $1.02¼@1.02⅜ to $1.02⅜, a decline of ¼@⅜c to ⅝c, but rallied to $1.02⅝.

Assertions that foreigners were buying new crop months here led to an advance, but a reaction followed in consequence of reports that the Argentine strikers had returned to work. The close was weak with May ⅜c net lower at $1.01⅞@1.02.

Much strength developed in corn after the first few minutes. May opened a shade to ⅛c down at 68⅛@68⅜c to 68¾c, touched 68⅛c, and then rose to 69c.

Profit taking later brought out a setback. The close was easy, ¼c down, for May corn, at 68⅜@68½c.

Oats advanced on account of the bullish behavior of the market for corn. May started unchanged to a shade higher at 52⅝c to 52⅝@52¾c and ascended to 52⅞c.

Steadiness was the feature in provisions. Initial transactions varied from 2½c lower to a like amount up, with May delivery $16.20 for pork, $9.22½ for lard and $8.75 for ribs.

Range of Prices for the Day.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 15.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	1.02¼	1.03⅛	1.01¾	1.01⅞
July	.95⅝	.96⅝	.95⅜	.95½
Sept.	.94¼	.94¾	.93⅞	.93⅞
Corn—				
May	.68½	.69	.68⅜	.68⅜
July	.68¼	.68⅝	.68	.68
Sept.	.68¼	.68⅝	.67⅞	.68
Oats—				
May	.52⅝	.52⅞	.52½	.52½
July	.48¼	.48⅝	.48	.48
Sept.	.41⅞	.42	.41⅝	.41⅝
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
May	16.20	16.20	16.07½	16.15
July	16.35	16.35	16.27½	16.32½
Sept.				16.45
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
May	9.22½	9.22½	9.15	9.17½
July	9.37½	9.37½	9.30	9.32½
Sept.	9.50	9.50	9.45	9.50
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
May	8.75	8.77½	8.72½	8.77½
July	8.85	8.85	8.80	8.80
Sept.	8.90			8.92½

Toledo Seed Market.

Toledo, O., Feb. 15.—Cloverseed—Cash and February, $13.90; March, $13.95; April, $13.55; No. 2, $13.50@13.90; No. 3, $13.20@13.30; rejected, $12.90@13.00; no established grade, $11.00@12.50.

Alsike—Prime, $13.40; March, $13.45.
Timothy—Prime, $1.90; March, $1.92½.

Toledo Closing Prices.

Toledo, O., Feb. 15.—Closing prices today were as follows:
Wheat—Cash, 99c; May, $1.02; July, 97½c; September, 96c.
Corn—Cash, 67c; May, 69⅞c; July, 69⅝c; September, 69⅛c.
Oats—Cash, 53¾c; May, 54⅞c; July, 50c; September, 43¾c.
Rye—Cash, 94c.

Chicago Cash Grain.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 15.—Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.00¾@1.02; No. 3 red, 99¾@1.01⅜; No. 2 hard, $1.02@1.04; No. 3 hard, $1.00@1.03; No. 1 northern, $1.12@1.14; No. 2 northern, $1.08@1.12; No. 3 northern, $1.07@1.11; No. 2 spring, $1.00@1.08; No. 3 spring, $1.00@1.07; No. 4 spring, 88@1.05; velvet chaff, 88@1.06; durum, 88@1.06.
Corn—No. 3, 64½c; No. 3 white, 64¼@64¾c; No. 3 yellow, 63½@65c; No. 4, 61½@62½c; No. 4 white, 62¾@63½c; No. 4 yellow, 62½@63c.
Oats—No. 2, 52½@53c; No. 2 white, 53½@53¾c; No. 3 white, 52½@53¼c; No. 4 white, 48@52c; standard, 52¾@53½c.
Rye—No. 2, 93c.
Barley—80@1.33.
Timothy Seed—$12.00@15.00.
Clover Seed—Nominal.

New York Grain and Provisions.

New York, Feb. 15.—Flour — Market steady; Kansas straights, $4.65@4.90.
Wheat—May, $1.06.
Raw Sugar—Market firm; muscovado 86 test, $4.25; centrifugal 96 test, $4.73; molasses sugar 89 test, $3.98; refined sugar, market firm.

LIVE STOCK.

East Buffalo Market.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 15.—Hogs—Receipts today were 2,400 head; shipments today were 570 head, all to New York; official shipments to New York yesterday were 110 head; market closing about steady; yorkers, mediums and heavies, $6.55@6.60; lights, $6.25@6.40; pigs, $6.15@6.25; roughs, $5.75@5.85; stags, $4.50@5.50.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts today were 5,400 head; market steady; top lambs, $7.00.
Cattle—Receipts today were 400 head; market slow.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 15.—Cattle—Receipts today were 15,500 head; market slow; beeves, $4.70@8.50; Texas steers, $4.60@5.75; western steers, $4.85@7.00; stockers and feeders, $3.30@6.10; cows and heifers, $2.10@6.15; calves, $5.75@8.25.
Hogs—Receipts today were 32,000 head; market strong; lights, $5.75@6.12½; mixed, $5.85@6.20; heavy, $5.85@6.20; roughs, $5.85@5.95; pigs, $4.25@5.80; bulk of sales, $6.00@6.15.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts today were 14,000 head; market steady; native sheep, $3.25@4.80; western sheep, $3.50@4.85; yearlings, $3.70@5.75; native lambs, $4.20@6.75; western lambs, $4.60@6.75.

Indianapolis Market.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 15.—Receipts today were: Hogs, 6,500 head; cattle, 1,200 head; calves, 350 head; sheep, 600 head.
Calves—Common to best veal, $4.00@8.00; common to good heavy, $3.00@7.00.
Hogs—Best heavies, $6.20@6.35; medium and mixed, $6.15@6.25; good to choice lights, $6.15@6.25; common to good lights, $5.85@6.10; roughs, $5.25@5.75; bulk of sales, $6.10@6.25.

Pittsburg Market.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 15.—Cattle — Receipts, none.
Hogs—Receipts today were 2,500 head; market active; heavy yorkers, $6.65; light yorkers, $6.60; pigs, $6.20.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts today were 1,500 head; market steady; top sheep, $4.50; lambs, $6.50.
Calves—Receipts today were 200 head; tops, $8.50.

Cincinnati Market.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 15.—Cattle — Receipts today were 280 head; market steady; steers, $4.25@7.00; heifers, $3.00@6.00; cows, $1.50@5.00; calves, lower, at $4.00@8.50.
Hogs—Receipts today were 3,639 head; market higher; stags, $3.00@5.00; cows, $4.25@5.75; pigs and lights, $4.25@6.10.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts today were 49 head; market steady; sheep, $1.25@3.75.

PRODUCE AND POULTRY.

Chicago Market.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 15.—Butter—Market easier; creameries, 26@30c; dairies, 24@28c.
Eggs—Market easier; receipts today were 2,439 cases; at mark, cases included, 26@28c; ordinary firsts, 28@29c; firsts, 31c.
Cheese—Market steady; daisies, 17@17c½; twins, 16¾@17c; young Americas, 17@17½c; long horns, 17@17½c.
Potatoes—Market steady; receipts today were 61 cars; Wisconsin, 93@1.02; Michigan, $1.02@1.05.
Poultry—Market easy; turkeys, alive, 14c; dressed, 19c; chickens, alive, 13c; dressed, 14c; springs, alive, 14c; dressed, 15c.
Veal—Market steady, at 77@11c.

New York Market.

New York, Feb. 15.—Butter — Market easy; receipts today were 8,431 packages; creamery specials, 31½@32c.
Eggs—Market weak; today's receipts were 7,979 cases; fresh gathered extras, 38@39c.
Poultry—Dressed, market steady; western chickens, 13½@15c; fowls, 12½@16c; turkeys, 12@21c; poultry, alive, market unsettled; western chickens, 12@12½c; fowls, 14@15c; turkeys, 15@18c.

OIL.

Toledo Market.

Toledo, O., Feb. 15.—North Lima, 82c bbl., South Lima and Indiana, 77c bbl.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

The Day on Wall Street.

New York, Feb. 15.—Reading was in active demand when the stock market opened today and the price was raised ⅝ on the first few transactions. Canadian Pacific was again strong and rose 1¼ points. Northern Pacific gained ⅛. Otherwise the market held steady at about a level with yesterday's close.

After 1 point advances and then a setback to about last night's close, buying orders became effective and the important stocks rallied briskly. United States Steel bounded to 60⅝ and Union Pacific also scored a gain of a point. Canadian Pacific rose 2½ and American Tobacco 5 points.

Bonds were steady. Union Pacific surrendered most of its forenoon advance and there was intermittent selling of Reading, which discouraged active ventures for the long account. Fluctuations in general were of a trivial character, with the market showing increasing dullness as the day progressed.

The market closed steady. Price movements were somewhat conflicting in the closing hour.

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Beautiful oak finished home on Kinnaird Ave., fully modern. Immediate possession; on easy terms.
Choice corner lot in Lakeside; all improvements; a genuine cold weather snap at 700.

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WANTED—Ashes to haul. Telephone 2242-black. 14-4t

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WANTED—Girl for housework. 424 W. Berry St. Mrs. O. E. Hanna. 1-23-tf

WANTED—A German girl for general housework. Apply 1216 West Wayne St. 2-13-tf

WANTED—Plain sewing and orders for infants' layettes. Address M., care of Sentinel. 2-8-eod-tf

WANTED—Experienced pattern makers. Apply to pattern shop foreman Kerr Murray Mfg. Co. 2-12-tf

ALL KINDS of furnace and stove repairing. 1130 College St. Call or write. R. J. Eickhoff. 12-13-tf

WANTED—Young or middle aged lady for laundry work. 1847 South Calhoun St. 14-6t

WANTED—An experienced planing mill foreman. THE WILDWOOD LUMBER CO., 602-608 Shoaff Bldg. 2-10-tf

WANTED—Girls for bindery work; must be 17 years old. Fort Wayne Printing Co. 2-14-tf

WANTED—Position as bookkeeper, by experienced man; best of reference. Phone 5920-green. 14-2t

FOR SALE—One gentle driving mare; will be safe for women or children. Call at 2945 Hanna St., or phone 6412-red. 15-2t

WANTED—Seamstress; steady work; one who can make her home at the institution. Apply Allen County Orphans' Home. 2-5-tf

WANTED—To correspond with gentleman, about 60 years old. Must be of good habits. Address Box 16, care Sentinel. 15-2t

PERSONAL—A gentleman of good character desires to correspond with lady between 28 and 35 years of age. Address J. S. Dillon, Decatur, Ind.

WANTED—By a young woman, writing or keeping of accounts that may be done at home. Would consider such work strictly confidential. Address B, care of Sentinel. 2-8-eod-tf

WANTED — Ladies wanting switches, puffs, curls, etc., made from combings. Also furnish hair. Mrs. Florence Labee, 714 Van Buren, between Main and Berry. 2-13-tf

WANTED—A woman strong and healthy, 45 to 55 years old, for working housekeeper. Very light work, only one person to do for. Must have best of references. Address "Housekeeper," care Sentinel. 15-3t

WANTED—Have you any newspapers or magazines that you will donate to THE AMERICAN BOY SCOUTS, to assist in uniforming the boys of this city? We will call for them if you will send us your address. THE AMERICAN BOY SCOUTS EDWIN T. JACKSON, Scout Master. Headquarters 802 W. DeWald St. Phone 4685. 10-10-tf

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Last Sale.
New York, Feb. 15.

Amal. Copper	65⅝	Inter.-Met.	10⅜
Am. Beet Sug.	55	do pfd.	56⅝
Am. C. & Fdy.	50⅝	Louis. & Nash.	153¼
Am. Cot. Oil	48¾	Missouri Pac.	40
Am. Loco.	32⅞	M., K. & T.	26⅞
Am. S. & Ref.	72	Nat. Biscuit	146⅞
do pfd.	102½	National Lead	58⅞
Am. Sug. Ref.	119	N. Y. Central	110⅝
Am. Min. Co.	35¾	Nor. & West.	108⅞
Atchison	104	Northern. Pac.	117½
At. Coast Line.	135¾	Pacific Mail	31½
Balti. & Ohio.	102¾	Pennsylvania	122
Br. Rap. Tr.	77⅞	People's Gas.	106
Canadian Pac.	231	Pull. Pal. Car.	158½
Ches. & Ohio.	71½	Reading	157¼
Chi. & North.	141½	Rock Is. Co.	23⅝
C., M. & St. P.	104¾	do pfd.	48⅝
Col. F. & Iron.	25¾	Southern Pac.	108½
Col. & South.	43	Southern Ry.	28
Del. & Hud.	173¾	Union Pacific.	165
Den. & Rio G.	20½	U. S. Steel	60¼
do pfd.	41	do pfd.	108¾
Erie	31½	Wabash	7⅛
Gt. North. pfd.	130¼	do pfd.	19¾
do Ore Ctfs.	38	Western Union	84⅜
Illinois Cent.	135½		

THE WEATHER.

LOCAL OFFICE UNITED STATES WEATHER BUREAU.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 15, 1912.—Data for the 24 hours ending at 2:00 p. m. today.

Temperature at the End of Each Hour.

2:00 p. m.	31	2:00 a. m.	26
3:00 p. m.	32	3:00 a. m.	24
4:00 p. m.	33	4:00 a. m.	25
5:00 p. m.	33	5:00 a. m.	27
6:00 p. m.	32	6:00 a. m.	27
7:00 p. m.	32	7:00 a. m.	28
8:00 p. m.	32	8:00 a. m.	29
9:00 p. m.	32	9:00 a. m.	30
10:00 p. m.	32	10:00 a. m.	32
11:00 p. m.	30	11:00 a. m.	34
Midnight	28	Noon	36
1:00 a. m.	27	1:00 p. m.	40
		2:00 p. m.	40

Highest temperature yesterday, 33.
Lowest temperature this morning, 24.
Highest since the first of the month, 36 on the 15th.
Lowest since the first of the month, -10 on the 4th.
Precipitation for the 24 hours ending at noon today, none.
Precipitation since the first of the month, .28 inches.
Maumee river stage at 7:00 a. m., 2.3 feet.
Highest wind velocity, 10 miles per hour from the south at 11:15 a. m.
Sun sets today at 5:15 p. m.
Sun rises tomorrow at 6:34 a. m.

W. S. PALMER,
Local Forecaster.

LOCAL FORECAST.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 15.—Forecast for Fort Wayne and vicinity for thirty-six hours ending 7 p. m. Friday, February 16: Cloudy tonight and Friday; not much change in temperature; lowest temperature tonight 25 to 30 degrees above zero.

GENERAL FORECAST.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Weather forecast:
Indiana: Fair tonight, becoming unsettled. Friday moderate temperature, moderate variable winds.
Illinois: Generally fair tonight, moderate temperature.
Ohio: Fair tonight, becoming unsettled Friday; moderate temperature.
Lower Michigan: Unsettled weather, with light snow flurries tonight or Friday.

W. S. PALMER,
Local Forecaster.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Lot on Winter St. Inquire Dr. Ogle, 112 West Wayne St. 2-15-tf

FOR SALE—Nearly new 9-room house, corner lot, located on South Broadway; must sell. Deal with owner. H. F. E., care Sentinel. 14-2t

FOR SALE—First block W. Butler St., 8 rooms; hardwood finish, $2,875.
W. E. DOUD,
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FOR RENT—2606 Hoagland Ave.; 434 W. Creighton Ave.; 132 Brackenridge St.; 426 East Pontiac St., modern. Schrader & Wilson, Main and Court Sts., first floor. 2-21-tf

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WILLIAM C. SCHWIEKE.

Editor Sentinel:
Please announce to the readers of The Sentinel that I am a candidate for County Commissioner for the First district of Allen county, subject to the decision of the voters at the democratic primary.
RAYMOND J. MOUREY
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Editor Sentinel:
Please announce my name as a candidate for County Commissioner from the First district, subject to the decision of the democratic primary in 1912.
ALBERT J. BLACK,
12-27-tf Milan Township.

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O. BIRD.

FOR SHERIFF.

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BENJ. F. EICK.

Editor Sentinel:
Please announce that I am a candidate for Sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic voters at the primary of 1912. I will appreciate your support.
A. C. FLAUGH, Wayne Township,
Dly. 1-13-tf

Mr. Editor:
Please announce that my name will be submitted as a candidate for sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic voters at their coming nominating primary.
JOSEPH F. GETZ.
2-9-tf

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1-16-tf A. C. GLADIEUX.

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Fort Wayne Sentinel:
Please announce that I will be a candidate for Coroner of Allen County, second term, subject to the decision of the voters at the democratic primary.
DR. EDWARD H. KRUSE.
2-8-tf

Interurban Time Tables.

FORT WAYNE & NORTHERN INDIANA TRACTION CO.
Schedule of Trains.
Leaving Fort Wayne, Indiana, via "Wabash Valley Route," Beginning November 30, 1911.
Schedule of trains leaving Fort Wayne, Indiana, for Huntington, Wabash, Peru, Logansport, Delphi, Lafayette, Indianapolis, and all intermediate points.

9:05 A.M.	*4:05 P.M.	*10:05 P.M.
*10:05 A.M.	5:05 P.M.	11:05 P.M.
11:05 A.M.	*6:05 P.M.	
	*Limited Train.	
6:00 A.M.	12:00 M.	*5:30 P.M.
*7:10 A.M.	*1:10 P.M.	6:00 P.M.
8:00 A.M.	2:00 P.M.	7:30 P.M.
*9:10 A.M.	*3:30 P.M.	9:00 P.M.
10:00 A.M.	4:30 P.M.	11:20 P.M.
	*Limited Train.	

Schedule of trains leaving Fort Wayne, Indiana, for Bluffton, Muncie, Indianapolis and all intermediate stations.

*6:05 A.M.	1:05 P.M.	7:05 P.M.
7:05 A.M.	*2:05 P.M.	*8:05 P.M.
*8:05 A.M.	3:05 P.M.	

Railroad Time Tables.

PENNSYLVANIA COMPANY.
In Effect November 27, 1910.

Eastbound.		Westbound.	
No. 6....	6:05 A.M.	No. 25....	3:25 A.M.
No. 18....	7:00 A.M.	No. 15....	4:00 A.M.
No. 36....	12:10 P.M.	No. 5....	4:55 A.M.
No. 16....	12:03 P.M.	No. 29....	6:56 A.M.
No. 22....	2:05 P.M.	No. 37....	7:00 A.M.
No. 28....	5:27 P.M.	No. 23....	10:15 A.M.
No. 8....	7:45 P.M.	No. 39....	11:20 A.M.
No. 2....	9:10 P.M.	No. 21....	11:55 A.M.
No. 38....	10:45 P.M.	No. 19....	4:20 P.M.
No. 24....	11:55 P.M.	No. 11....	8:25 P.M.
		No. 9....	4:10 P.M.

NICKEL PLATE.
Departing time of trains from Ft. Wayne
*Local Freight.

Eastbound.		Westbound.	
No. 6....	2:35 A.M.	No. 5....	2:20 A.M.
No. 2....	3:10 P.M.	No. 1....	12:30 A.M.
No. 4....	8:05 P.M.	No. 3....	4:40 P.M.
No. 20*...	7:25 A.M.	No. 51....	7:00 A.M.

C. H. & D. RAILWAY.
From Wabash Station.
Trains Daily Except Sunday.

Depart.	Arrive.	
No. 601... 2:45 P.M.	No. 604...	10:20 A.M.
No. 685... 6:45 A.M.	No. 634...	2:45 P.M.

Trains 601 and 604 passenger.
Trains 634 and 685 local freights.

WILDWOOD HOUSE PLANS

Send 10c and the attached coupon to our office this week and we will send you a choice little book with pictures of our best houses and their floor plans.

The book is printed from nine etchings on fine paper and besides the house views and floor plans has details of living rooms, fireplaces, a good porch, a window seat, details of doors and stairways; desirable suggestions if you expect to build, and if not the book itself is attractive to have on your table.

These books represent much work and expense, but we wish to distribute them among Fort Wayne people and therefore will mail them at 10c each during this week and as long as they last.

In return for this coupon and 10c (in coin or stamps)) please send me your booklet of plans and sketches.

Name .....

Address .....

THE WILDWOOD BUILDERS,
PHONE, 2147. 602-3 SHOAFF BUILDING.

Close In Suburban Properties

I have recently purchased exceptionally fine garden farm which I will plot into five, ten, fifteen and twenty-acre garden tracts and poultry farms. This tract is only 4½ miles from our city market, fronting beautifully on one of our very best roads to the city, and located very convenient to interurban station. If you wish to get out of the city I will consider your city property in exchange. I'll be glad to quote you price and terms and show you in my auto. This is an exceptional opportunity, and now's the time to begin to think about getting to the country. Our spring will soon be here.

I also have the best improved all-round suburban home in the vicinity of Fort Wayne. This property contains three acres exceedingly rich soil. The buildings are new and up to date, and within five minutes to city car. Will sell this property with one acre if preferred.

I have another close-in 5-acre tract, the very cream of anything laying out of doors, in the vicinity of Fort Wayne any direction. Very desirably located and convenient to the city cars.

If you wish something smaller close in, I have some extra fine acres and half-acre tracts.

B. F. ROUSSEAU
Room 526 Shoaff Building. Office Phone, 3083. Residence, 3198.

MONROE W. FITCH & SONS BULLETIN

Although the weather is still bad we are showing farms. We have a heater in cars, thus, anyone desiring to investigate will not suffer with the cold if they drive with us. We are not only showing farms, but are selling them.

Remember that we are selling bargains in city property and suburban garden tracts. If you intend to get a garden farm near Fort Wayne it would be necessary for you to select the place you want soon.

MONROE W. FITCH, Manager City Dept.
DELMER C. FITCH, Manager Insurance Dept.
EUGENE M. FITCH, Manager Earth Dept.
BOTH 'PHONES. 5 Per Cent. Money on Farms.

For Sale Real Estate

Strictly modern 9-room house; hot water heat, soft water bath; close in; $5,600.
Beautiful 8-room house, with bath, electric lights, paved street, facing Reservoir Park;

THE

White Fruit House

BIG PUBLIC SALE

Now Distributing the Greatest

Merchandise Values on Earth

Into the Homes of the People at Less Than Cost to Land the Goods in FORT WAYNE.

People have been coming from all parts of the community to participate in this Great Bargain Carnival.

The stock is so large that in spite of the large business we have been doing it is still complete in all departments. Everything in the entire building, of every description, at a positive saving

OF MORE THAN ONE-HALF.

This Is Your Chance ---Don't Miss It!

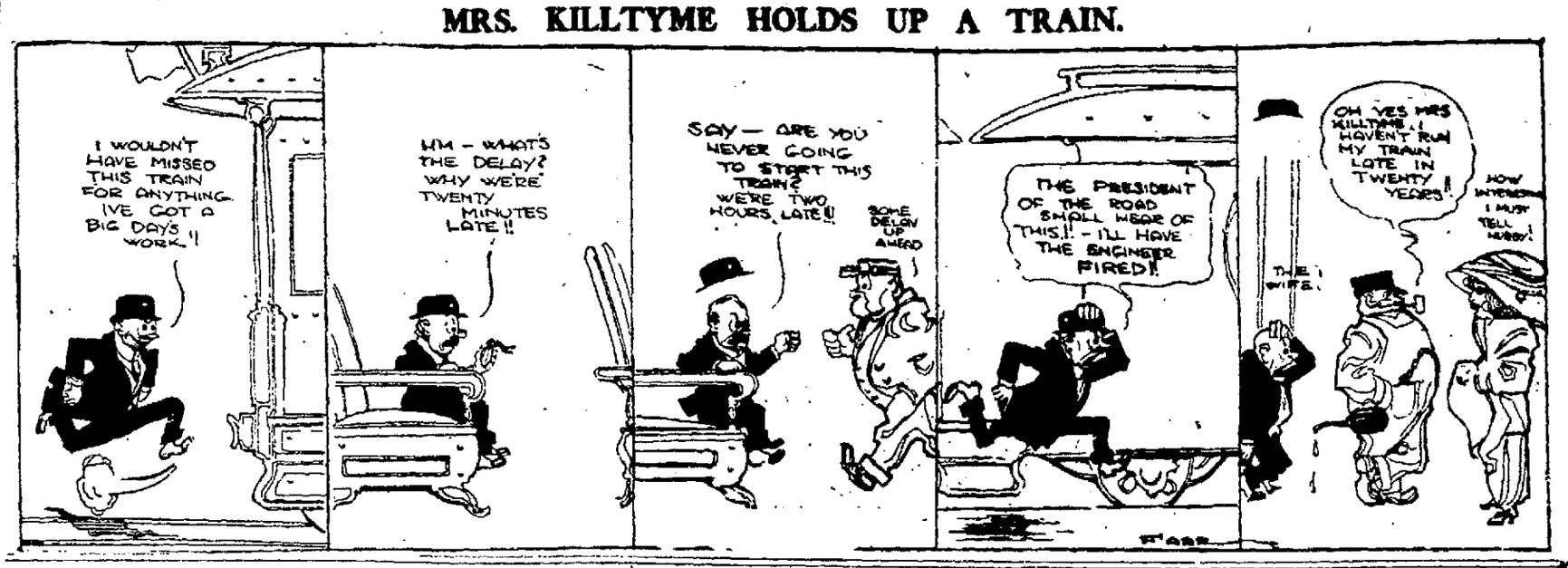
And it only happens once in a lifetime where a reputable firm who have been in business for 50 years, and who value their good name more than money, offer you their entire stock at prices no merchant can or dare compete with.

Everything for Man, Woman and Child to Eat, Drink and Wear

THE

White Fruit House

MRS. KILLTYME HOLDS UP A TRAIN.


I WOULDN'T HAVE MISSED THIS TRAIN FOR ANYTHING. I'VE GOT A BIG DAYS WORK!!
HM - WHAT'S THE DELAY? WHY WE'RE TWENTY MINUTES LATE!!
SAY— ARE YOU NEVER GOING TO START THIS TRAIN? WE'RE TWO HOURS LATE!!
SOME DELAY UP AHEAD
THE PRESIDENT OF THE ROAD SHALL HEAR OF THIS!! - I'LL HAVE THE ENGINEER FIRED!
THE WIFE
OH YES MRS KILLTYME, I HAVEN'T RUN MY TRAIN LATE IN TWENTY YEARS!!
HOW INTERESTING! I MUST TELL HUBBY!

STRAUS BROS. CO. MAKES PURCHASE

Buys Realty at Wayne and Calhoun from White Estate.

PRICE ABOVE $200,000

The White estate has sold the property at the southeast corner of Calhoun and Wayne streets, occupied by the White Fruit House and Alt Heidelberg hotel, to the Straus Brothers company. The precise consideration is not given out, but the price is somewhere between $200,000 and $250,000. The deal has been under negotiation for some months, but it was not consummated until late Wednesday afternoon, when it was made public.

Abe Ackerman, of the Straus Brothers company, said today that the plans of the company regarding the Calhoun street frontage were not yet completed, but that the Heidelberg Hotel company would remain in its present location. Edward White, president of the White Fruit House, is preparing to vacate the Calhoun street section of the building. The big stock will be condensed somewhat into smaller space, and the Fruit House will continue to occupy the Wayne street frontage of the property.

Property Is Valuable.

The deal is the second extensive purchase of Calhoun street realty recently made by the Straus company, the old location of G. E. Bursley & Co. having been acquired some months ago. The new purchase was made from the White estate, which has no connection with the Fruit house. The property has a frontage of 110 feet on Calhoun street and 120 feet on Wayne, and is regarded as extremely desirable. The main building was erected by the late Capt. J. B. White some twenty-five years ago. The heirs from whom the purchase was made include John W. White, Edward White, Alexander B. White, James B. White and Mrs. William S. Morris. A. B. White acted for the estate in the matter, and it is said that the Isaac d'Isay agency was instrumental in making the sale.

Others Were After It.

Since it became known some months ago that the White estate was not averse to disposing of the property, several possible purchasers in addition to the Straus Brothers company have been after it, and the deal has been pending for some weeks. A number of overtures have already been made to the Straus company for the lease of the Calhoun street section of the building.

The Straus Brothers company is one of the big financial concerns of Indiana, and its real estate and banking operations are very extensive. The company owns and operates the Commercial bank in this city and is largely interested in the Citizens' bank at Ligonier, the Topeka State bank at Topeka, the Millersburg State bank at Millersburg, the Farmers' State bank at Albion, the Auburn State bank at Auburn, and the Payne State bank, which is soon to begin operations at Payne, O.

Grand opening of the new Auburn salesroom Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings of this week. 15-4t

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Notice to the Public

For some reason or other our name was omitted from the Home Telephone book. We are notifying the citizens th we have a stock of hard coal mined by the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Co., the largest producers of hard coal in the United States.

Our stock of soft coal, consisting of Jackson, Massillon, West Virginia, Hocking and Pinto Cannel cannot be excelled in their burning qualities.

We also carry a large stock of coke, charcoal and kindling. According to our arrangements with the Telephone company the operators will cheerfully give you our number. If you order coal from the Kanadian Coal Co. and same is delivered by another m the mistake will be duly investigated and you will receive a half ton of our very best soft coal free. We do not know who is working against us but in this way will find the origin.

KANADIAN COAL CO.
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Home Phone 1388. Bell Phone 426.

CERTAINLY ENDS STOMACH MISERY

Indigestion, Gas, Heartburn or Dyspepsia Go in Five Minutes.

You can eat anything your stomach craves without fear of Indigestion or Dyspepsia, or that your food will ferment or sour on your stomach, if you will take a little Diapepsin occasionally.

Your meals will taste good, and anything you eat will be digested; nothing can ferment or turn into acid or poison or stomach gas, which causes Belching, Dizziness, a feeling of fullness after eating, Nausea, Indigestion (like a lump of lead in stomach), Biliousness Heartburn, Water Brash, Pain in Stomach and Intestines or other symptoms.

Headaches from the stomach are absolutely unknown where this effective remedy is used. Diapepsin really does all the work of a healthy stomach. It digests your meals when your stomach can't. A single dose will digest all the food you eat and leave nothing to ferment or sour and upset the stomach.

Get a large 50-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from your druggist and start taking now, and in a little while you will actually brag about your healthy, strong Stomach, for you then can eat anything and everything you want without the slightest discomfort or misery, and every particle of impurity and Gas that is in your stomach and intestines is going to be carried away without the use of laxatives or any other assistance.

Should you at this moment be suffering from Indigestion or any stomach disorder, you can surely get relief within five minutes. adv.

The nurses at Hope hospital were entertained at a dance and social session at the Minuet last evening, given by the physician oof the city as a testimonial of appreciation of the work of the nurses. The event was a very pleasant one.

Cashier H. R. Freeman, of the First National bank, left yesterday on a trip to Panama for a vacation of three weeks.

FOR RENT—Store room just off of Calhoun St., on Brackenridge St. Inquire H. A. Wiebke, Hof Brau. 2-6-tf

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MONTGOMERY AND MONROE STS. TWO PHONES 174 - 194

DRESSED POULTRY.
Dressed Young Chicken, per lb.....18c
CELERY AND LETTUCE.
California Celery, per stalk.....10c
Hot House Lettuce, per lb.....20c
Home-Grown Radishes, per bunch..5c
Cabbage, solid white head, per lb....4c
Cranberries, dark red, per lb.....12½c
BUTTER AND EGGS.
Finest Creamery Butter, per lb....35c
Country Butter, per lb.....33c
Oleomargarine, per lb.....20c
Virginia Peanut Butter, per lb.....15c
Fresh Country Eggs, per doz.....35c
HAM AND BACON.
Mild Cured Ham, per lb.....16c
Mild Lean Bacon (half strips, about 4½ lbs.) per lb.....17½c
Country Sausage, per lb.....12½c
Special Summer Sausage, per lb....15c
Best Country Lard, per lb.....12c
Picnic Hams (6 to 8 lb. average) per lb.....11c
POTATOES.
Burr Oak Potatoes, finest table potatoes, no hollow or frosty; best cookers. 60 lbs. to a bushel, per peck, 35c; per bushel.....$1.39
Home-Grown Potatoes, per bushel $1.30
Rutabagas, finest Michigan, per lb. 2c; per peck 25c
Yellow Onions, 2 qts.....15c
Carrots, 2 qts.....15c
FLOUR AND PAN CAKE FLOUR.
Our Special Flour, ¼ sacks.....$1.15
Hungarian and Silver Dust, ¼ sacks $1.20
Pillsbury's Best Flour, ⅛ sacks....83c
Gold Medal Flour, ⅛ sacks.....85c
Ceresota Flour, ⅛ sacks.....88c
Our Special Pan Cake and Buckwheat Flour, per pkg.....10c
Or 3 pkgs. for.....25c
A FEW SPECIALS.
Michigan Canned Apples, per can... 8c
Blood Red Table Beets, per can.....10c
Our Special Corn, per can..... 7c
Sardines (oil or mustard) 3 cans...10c
Figs, Newton cakes, per lb.....10c
Corn Flake, per pkg..... 7c
Table Syrup, gallon can 35c
Old Dutch Cleanser, 3 cans.....25c
Red Seal Lye, 3 cans.....25c
Matches, Searchlight, 3—5c boxes..12c
Crackers, 2 lbs.....15c
Popcorn on cob, 2 lbs.....5c

BOYS REFORMED BY ENVIRONMENT

Better Surroundings Aid in Work, Says Mr. Charles.

EFFORTS IN KANSAS

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 15.—"Change the environment of the average bad boy and he will change from a bad boy to a worthy citizen," is the theory of the Kansas Industrial school, which has charge of all bad boys that the parents are unable to handle or who have not had a fair chance at making good.

Most bad boys come from the cities in Kansas and by having these boys work as farmers their reform is accomplished in short order. And when a bad boy comes from the country they put him to work in the shops, making shoes or clothing or working in the printing office or learning plumbing or cabinet making and the country boys improve rapidly.

There are 1,061 boys at the industrial school north of Topeka now and H. W. Charles, the superintendent, is trying to keep the city boys employed on the farm as much as possible, and the country boys working in the shops. Owing to the large majority of city boys in the institution this cannot be carried out fully at the present school, because of a lack of room. The next legislature is to be asked to make an appropriation to buy two thousand acres of land in the central part of the state to be used as a big farm for the reform of the Kansas small boy from the city.

Of the 1,061 boys at the institution 916 come from the cities and only 145 come from the country.

Kansas long ago gave up the idea of having a reform school. Some boys cannot be reformed by any known method and they drift from bad to worse, but it was found that changing the environment of the boys was the best reformative agent Kansas could find. The boys are put on their honor and trusted thoroughly and it is seldom they break over, and no cell houses or guards are needed. The state employs only instructors at its reform school.

Dr Ogle has resumed the practice of medicine. See card. 2-1-tf.

Famous "Pint of Cough Syrup Recipe

No Better Remedy at Any Price. Fully Guaranteed.

Make a plain syrup by mixing one pint of granulated sugar and ½ pint of warm water and stir for two minutes. Put 2½ ounces of pure Pinex (fifty cents' worth) in a pint bottle, and fill it up with the Sugar Syrup. This gives you a family supply of the best cough syrup at a saving of $2. It never spoils. Take a teaspoonful every, one, two or three hours.

The effectiveness of this simple remedy is surprising. It seems to take hold instantly, and will usually stop the most obstinate cough in 24 hours. It tones up the jaded appetite and is just laxative enough to be helpful in a cough, and has a pleasing taste. Also excellent for bronchial trouble, throat tickle, sore lungs and asthma, and an unequaled remedy for whooping cough and croup.

This recipe for making cough remedy with Pinex and Sugar Syrup (or strained honey) is a prime favorite in thousands of homes in the United States and Canada. The plan has been imitated, though never successfully. If you try it, use only genuine Pinex, which is the most valuable concentrated compound of Norway white pine extract, and is rich in guaiacol and all the natural healing pine elements. Other preparations will not work in this recipe.

A guaranty of absolute satisfaction, or money promptly refunded, goes with this recipe. Your druggist has Pinex, or will get it for you.

War on the Plains—Lyric, Feb. 23. 15-17

O. E. Fleming has received an invitation to attend a dinner of the former editors of the "Nassau Lit," a monthly publication issued by the students of Princeton university. Mr. Fleming occupied the editorial chair during his senior year at Princton in 1875.

Indestructible Records 23 Cents.

Regular price 35 cents, Saturday. COLUMBIA STORE, No. 10 ARCADE. 15-2t

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In addition to our regular stock of men's shoes, we will include $2,000.00 worth of men's new spring styles in Russian Calf, Gun Metal and Patent, which are just coming in.

Positively every shoe in our store will be sold at far below cost at which any manufacturer could produce them. This means a heavy loss to us, but we must raise money at once.

Attention Workingmen

We will offer you any work shoe in our store at half price for 10 days only from commencement of our sale. Watch for it.

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Don't Starve Your Hair

Many a Head of Hair, Apparently Healthy, is Slowly Starving to Death

Hair must have sulphur or die.

When the blood fails to supply sulphur in sufficient quantities, the hair loses its color, dies and falls out.

When this condition begins, do not delay. In order to live, the hair must have sulphur, and the only combination containing sulphur that the hair roots will absorb is

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It is the finest Hair Dressing made, and keeps the hair soft, glossy and beautiful. It removes dandruff, stops the hair from coming out, and promotes hair growth.

It Restores Gray Hair to Natural Color

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Loans for any amount. For short or long time. All you are required to do is to let us know what amount you want and you get the money at once. No red tape or embarrassing questions connected with our plans and methods of loaning money. Courteous treatment, fair dealing and absolute secrecy.

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We loan on Furniture, Pianos, Horses and Wagons, etc., without removal. 60c per week pays a $25 loan in 50 weeks.

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Sentinel Want Ads. Pay.

CITY BREVITIES.

Attorney W. W. Sharpless, of Garrett, was in the city yesterday.

Attorney S. A. Callahan has returned from a business trip to Chattanooga, Tenn.

A. L. Sivits, of South Whitley, underwent a surgical operation at Hope hospital yesterday.

W. P. Duffy, formerly of Fort Wayne, is now a field examiner for the state accounting board, and is temporarily engaged in Auburn.

Mrs. Allen Steel, of Convoy, O., is a patient at Hope hospital, where she underwent a surgical operation yesterday.

Miss Florence Klinkenberg has returned to Ann Arbor to resume her studies after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto G. Klinkenberg.

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Our Dry Mash and Scratch Feed scientifically compounded with Clover Bloom and Egg Producer will keep hens laying and flocks healthy.

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